THE WEATHER

Showers tonight; Saturday, showers followed by clearing; northeast to east winds.

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FIREWORKS IN POLICE COURT

Local Lawyers Indulge in Mutual Abuse of Each Other

In Trial of Case Today—Judge Enright Halts Pyrotechnic Display

Benjamin Cohen, a student at the Massachusetts school of Optometry, and a resident of Ware street, was today found guilty of assault and battery on 11-year-old Saul Schulman by Judge Enright in the police court after a hearing which was replete with mutual abuse of each other by counsel for both sides. One of the remarks of the defendant's attorney so incensed his brother lawyer that the latter made a heated comment to the effect that he "wouldn't dare say that outside of court." "I'll say it anywhere in the world," shouted his opponent, who shortly afterwards appealed to Judge Enright to compel young Schulman's attorney to cease from "making sotto voice remarks." His Honor responded to this plea by warning counsel for both sides that the pyrotechnics "must stop."

The case was continued to Saturday, May 7, for disposition, over the protests of Schulman senior, who proclaimed pious scruples against appearing in court on the Jewish sabbath. The court was about to accede to his request that another day be assigned, when counsel for Cohen brought out the fact that Schulman conducts his business on Saturday, unperturbed by possible irreligious implications. Schulman explained that he indeed indulges in mercantile pursuits on Saturday, but that such activities are not embarked upon until after religious services have been attended at 10 a. m., the hour set for the opening of court. Nevertheless, when His Honor stated that the defendant deserves some consideration, having missed one school session because of a continuance to today to satisfy Schulman's religious feelings, the latter bewailed the results to his business, and asked what would become of it.

Dr. Matthew Mahoney, the first witness for the prosecution, told of treating young Schulman on April 15 and 16, the days following the assault, for a "red, swollen condition of the right side of the face, together with three abrasions, and difficulty on the part of the patient in opening his mouth." Morris Schulman, the father of the youth, then told of seeing Cohen smite his child two or three times. The boy himself, weeping copiously on the stand, said he did not know why Cohen struck him, but afterwards retracted this statement when reminded of a quarrel he had had with Louis, the defendant's young brother. Cohen, on the stand, said he left his house on the evening of the affair to go to the rescue of his little brother, Louis, whose cries he heard. He was informed, he said, that the Schulman boy had evoked these wails, and added that young Schulman called him a vile name, while clutching a large stone menacingly. He did not hit the boy, he said, merely pushing him when Schulman senior appeared on the run. He fled, pursued by the elder Schulman, who lay in wait for him for two hours, he testified. Several small boys told of the younger Cohen boy being hit in the side by a stone wielded by young Schulman, who also, they said, socked the little Cohen boy in the eye. Judge Enright ruled that these boyish hostilities did not justify the defendant in assaulting Saul Schulman, but unwilling to give Cohen a record he continued the case in order that civil satisfaction might be arranged.

The Lowell Corporation hospital has reported to the board of health a recent case of dogbite in which the victim was Arthur Caisse of 520 Hildreth street, Dracut. According to the report, Caisse was bitten on the right thigh by a dog said to be owned by a Dr. Delorsey, residing at the corner of Pleasant and Hildreth streets, Dracut. The board of health has reported the matter to Dr. Eugene R. Kelley, state commissioner of health, and has turned over the case to the Dracut authorities.

FRANCE WANTS DIRECT ACTION

Premier Briand Leaves for London Conference With Full Support of Nation

To Demand "Direct Action" In Enforcing Penalties Against Germany

PARIS, April 29—Premier Briand left for London early today to attend the meeting of the Supreme Allied council on Saturday. He will appear before that body with the support of the French parliament, public and press, which is unanimous in demanding "direct action" in enforcing penalties against Germany in default of her paymet of reparations.

"No previous conference of the Supreme council has opened with such an atmosphere of confidence and hope," said the Journal this morning. "The position of France is well defined and is very strong. The expressed determination of the government is strengthened by the united manifestations of parliament and public opinion."

The cabinet council met yesterday and reached a final decision on the attitude to be taken by the representatives of France at the London conference. It also finished consideration of measures to be taken for the occupation of the Ruhr region.

Lloyd George Would Delay

PARIS, April 29—Prime Minister Lloyd George of Great Britain would consent to the occupation of the Ruhr district of Germany only after an ultimatum, granting a certain amount of delay, had been sent to Germany, says the London correspondent of the Matin. It is declared he takes this attitude in order to appease those inclined against penalties."

Three Powers Reject Offer

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The status of negotiations regarding counter pro-

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SIMONS REPLIES TO HIS CRITICS

German Minister Answers Charge of Failure to Fight Out Question of War Guilt

BERLIN, April 29.—(By the Associated Press)—During the discussion in the Reichstag today on reparations, Dr. Simons, the foreign minister, replied to critics who charged him with failure to fight out the question of war guilt with the British prime minister, Mr. Lloyd George, at the London conference.

"I hold these reproaches to be unwarranted," Dr. Simons declared. "Before me sat men who held in their hands documents containing our confession of guilt. Granting that this confession was extorted, it behooved me to make the best I could of the situation.

"A protest on my part would immediately preclude further confidential negotiations with Mr. Lloyd George."

GIRLS' CITY CLUB

Several week-end activities are on the cards today and tomorrow at the Girls' City club. This afternoon a hike for spring flowers was held, while this evening the club rooms will be the scene of an informal card party. Tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 two scrub teams will play baseball. The club members are already adept at this sport, according to Miss Alice Sullivan, director of the organization, and a star exhibition is expected. The grounds will not be selected until tomorrow. At 8.00 p. m. a club dance will be given at the rooms of the organization, in the Runels building.

BIG LINER RUNS ASHORE

Portuguese Steamer, With 448 Passengers Aboard, Went Aground in Fog

Said To Be Leaking Badly, But Not In a Dangerous Position

BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., April 22.—The Portuguese steamer Mormugao, bound from Lisbon for New York, with 448 passengers, went ashore on Black Rock on the west side of Block Island in a thick fog early today. Captain Teal of the coast guard station reported that the vessel was leaking but was not in a dangerous position.

Unless a shift in the wind came, it was believed the vessel could be floated easily with the aid of tugs that were sent for. The passengers, nearly all Portuguese immigrants, were to stay aboard for the time being at least. The wind was southeast and blowing about 25 miles an hour with negative effect on the stranded steamer.

HITCHCOCK RAPS KNOX RESOLVE

Says Adoption Would Be Attempt to Dictate Harding International Policies

Called "Idle and Ineffective"—Says Measure Being "Railroaded" Through

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Adoption of the Knox peace resolution would be an attempt to dictate the international policies of President Harding, Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, ranking democrat on the foreign relations committee, charged today in the senate.

The Nebraska senator attacked the measure as "idle and ineffective" and declared that it was being "railroaded" through like a gas franchise through a city council "when the votes can be depended upon." The resolution is to be voted on tomorrow.

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BUTTON DAY FOR IRISH RELIEF

Young Women Will Conduct Campaign for Donations Here Tomorrow

Additional Subscriptions Announced Today—Important Meeting This Evening

Bright and early tomorrow morning 600 young women of this city will begin a campaign of solicitation for the Irish relief fund under the auspices of the League of Catholic Women and before the day is over it is hoped that every man, woman and child who ventures on the down-town streets during the day will be wearing a button, indicating that he has contributed to the cause.

Miss Alice T. Lee, president of the league, and Mrs. John T. Donehue, who form the committee in charge, announced this noon that preparations for the affair had been completed and that all indications pointed to a big success and a substantial addition to the local fund. In the event of rain, the button day will be postponed until the following Saturday.

The buttons which will be given to all contributors will have the name of the American Commission for Irish Relief inscribed on them. Subscriptions from one cent upward will be received.

Headquarters of the day will be at the office of the League of Catholic Women in the Harrington building and in addition the following substations will be maintained for the convenience of the workers: St. Michael's guild hall, St. Columba's hall, St. Patrick's school hall; Immaculate

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ST. RAILWAY SITUATION

Mayor and Other Members of the Lowell City Council at State House Today

Mayor Perry D. Thompson and other members of the municipal council left Lowell shortly after noon today for Boston where they were to meet Governor Cox at 3 o'clock to request him to have the trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co. arbitrate their differences with employes of the road.

Locally, there was no material change in the situation which threatens to bring about a strike of employes of the company here next Monday. Thomas J. Powers, president of the local union, was in Boston in connection with negotiations whereby it is hoped at least to delay and, if possible, to avoid the threatened strike.

Preparations on the part of the local management, as directed by the trustees, to run the cars if there is a strike, continued. If indications of a strike continue, strike-breakers will be in Lowell late Sunday afternoon and will have their evening meal here. How many will be brought to Lowell has not been ascertained. Company officials frankly state that they are preparing for the worst, but hoping for the best.

Movement Endorsed

At a regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council held last evening with President Timothy O'Rourke in the chair, it was voted to endorse the movement of the carmen's union for a wage arbitration, while moral and financial support was also voted the organization for whatever action they may decide upon.

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I. W. W. Leaders Convicted of Anti-Government War Time Plots Have Jumped Their Bond

HUGHES AND LODGE LEAVING WHITE HOUSE

Secretary of State Hughes and Senator Lodge, head of the foreign relations committee, were snapped in characteristic attitudes as they left the White House after conferring with President Harding on the German reparations notes.

LIQUOR CASES IN COURT

Proprietors of Three Local Near-Beer Establishments Arraigned Today

Three local near-beer establishments kept something nearer than near-beer, according to the testimony of liquor officers in the police court this morning, and three defendants were assessed $100 fines. While the trio all pleaded guilty, one of the defendants declined to contribute the century to the municipal coffers without an appeal, and was bailed in the sum of $300 for the superior court. On the same docket the other end of the prohibition question was represented by a bevy of drunks, one of whom, a woman, was sent to the state farm as an old offender, while two others were fined, several had their cases filed, and four were released by Probation Officer Slattery prior to the opening of the court session. The case of Levi T. Steeves, who conducts a drug store at Lincoln square, was continued for a third time, in order that a second test may be made of grain alcohol which it is claimed he sold illegally to a representative of the police.

Philip Sullivan, the owner of a near-beer resort on Thorndike street, was advised by Judge Enright to vacate the premises he now occupies for

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TRAFFIC RULES

Chamber of Commerce Committee Proposes New Traffic Rules For the Downtown Section

Traffic rules for the downtown section of Lowell which will be much more lenient to automobile owners than those now in effect are proposed in an ordinance prepared by the traffic committee of the chamber of commerce and submitted today to Mayor Thompson by Secretary-Manager Geo. F. Wells of the chamber for consideration by the municipal council.

One example of this lenfency is the section which extends the time in which autos may be parked in Merrimack, Central and Market streets from from five minutes to thirty minutes.

The proposed ordinance also stipulates that Prescott street and Merrimack street from John street to the railroad tracks shall be non-stop areas except for loading and unloading. It also provides that vehicles shall not stop within 20 feet of the intersection of two streets nor within 15 feet of a fire hydrant. The proposed ordinance will probably come before the council for consideration Tuesday.

The Isle of Pines promises to become an important producer of iron, copper and other ores, as 11 mines have been located.

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LEGISLATIVE INQUIRY

Hearing Interrupted When Former Representative Read Legislative Report

BOSTON, April 29.—The legislative inquiry into alleged irregularities in connection with bills passed in 1918 and 1919 was interrupted for a time today when former Representative Thomas A. Niland of Boston insisted upon discussing legislation of years previous to those under review.

Niland protested when the chairman checked him while reading from a legislative report of 1890 and was supported by several spectators, who objected to the rulings. The chairman immediately ordered the room cleared and the hearing was suspended.

After a short recess the witness was permitted to proceed, with the understanding that he should confine himself to the matters under investigation.

BRITISH AVIATORS TO INSTRUCT JAPANESE

TOKIO, April 6. (Delayed)—Negotiations between the Japanese and British governments for employment of English navy aviators as instructors for Japanese navy aviators have been concluded. Twenty reserve flight officers of the British marine have already left England for Japan and are expected here shortly.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, April 29.—Exchanges $577,810,607; balances $64,139,607.

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FAIL TO REPORT TO SERVE TERMS

Federal Officers in Final Check Up Discover Real Leaders Among Missing

Believed to be Now Engaged in Furthering Revolutionary Ideas

Nine of the 47 Convicted Men at Liberty—Others at Penitentiary or on Way

CHICAGO, April 29.—The real leaders in the group of Industrial Workers of the World convicted for anti-government war-time conspiracies have jumped their bond and now are believed to be furthering revolutionary ideas, federal officials said today after a final check up of the 47 men who were to report to the Leavenworth, Kas., penitentiary following refusal of the United States supreme court to review their cases.

Nine Still at Liberty

Nine convicted men are at lib-

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MISSION TO IRELAND

Earl of Derby to Resume Conversations With Sinn Fein Representatives

LONDON, April 29.—Conversations between the Earl of Denby and Irish Sinn Fein representatives will be resumed in a few days when the earl returns to the island, said the London Times today. He will take no written proposals from the British government, but will be empowered to speak as Prime Minister Lloyd George's accredited envoy, the newspaper said. The earl had another long interview with Mr. Lloyd George yesterday.

It is understood the object of his mission to Ireland is generally to prepare a way to a truce, during which it will be possible for the elections in Southern Ireland to be held in perfect freedom. There have been many rumors regarding the terms the government will offer, the Times declared, but nothing has developed that has given a clear outline of the conditions to be imposed.

Have You Visited the IRISH RELIEF CARNIVAL at the Kasino?
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Engineers' Local No. 352, at 2 o'clock, Saturday Afternoon, April 30th. Business of great importance. Signed by
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Substitute for Bone Black Discovered

WILMINGTON, Del., April 29.—Discovery of a satisfactory substitute for bone black, or bone char, the standard material used in decolorizing and refining sugar and various liquids, syrups and oils, was announced today by the Atlas Powder Co. Scientists have searched for 60 years for such a substance, it was said.

The powder company announced it was planning to manufacture the new product on a large scale in a 5000-ton plant and that in extensive commercial tests with sugar, maltose and oil the substance has been proved from 25 to 30 times as efficient as bone char. It will even permit the making of white granulated sugar directly at the raw sugar mill, the announcement said. Success of American chemists in developing the product is attributed to the impetus given chemical research during the world war. The substance is manufactured from cheap carbonaceous raw material such as lignite, which is uniformly carbonized under conditions preventing the pores of the raw material being clogged by the deposit of secondary carbon.

BRITAIN'S NEW PLAN FOR IRISH REPRISALS

DUBLIN, April 29.—The military authorities in destroying four business premises at Listowel, in official reprisal for the murder of Sir Arthur Vicars, ex-Ulster king-of-arms, has issued a proclamation which is quoted by the Listowel correspondent of the Freeman's Journal, as declaring:

"For any outrages in the future against the lives or property of loyalist officials, reprisals will be taken against selected persons known to have rebel sympathies, although the fact of their implication has not been proved."

COMBINATION

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OUR PUBLIC UTILITIES

Government and Municipal Ownership Will Not Solve Problems, Says Hurley

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 29.—Government and municipal ownership will not solve the country's public utilities problems, Edward N. Hurley, Chicago manufacturer and former head of the shipping board, today told the delegates to the ninth annual convention of the United States chamber of commerce.

He advised the public utilities companies and the public to get together and "iron out their troubles and wipe out any doubt or distrust that lingers."

"Government operation in industrial service," said Mr. Hurley, "is a flat failure from a 'service to the public' standpoint. This is not only true in America, but it is a proven fact throughout the world.

"I am convinced that it will be found that the lack of personal efficiency under municipal or governmental industrial ownership spells financial failure for the enterprise.

"When public utilities realize what high grade service means and what effect such a service in its operation has upon its customers and the public, then the question of municipal or governmental ownership will gradually drop into the background and the public recognition of the difficulties and the need for encouragement and liberality will quickly aid in the solution of this national problem."

The American people "must realize that confidence in public utility securities cannot be had by constant, unjust criticism," Mr. Hurley said.

BERNSTORFF DEFENDS GERMAN NOTE TO U. S.

BERLIN, April 29.—Criticism leveled at the German cabinet's appeal to President Harding in the reparations question was calculated to weaken still further the position of German diplomacy abroad, declared Count von Bernstorff, former ambassador to the United States, in his maiden speech before the reichstag yesterday. Supporting the German note to Washington, the former ambassador deprecated the temper of the debate.

"The democratic party to which I belong," he said, "has contemplated with profound regret the discussion going on in this parliament yesterday and today. At a time when the fatherland is in dire distress, when we are immediately threatened with the gravest coercive measures, we are indulging in heated partisan discussion instead of realizing national unity, which alone will enable us to overcome the menace with which we are confronted.

"The United States is actuated chiefly by economic motives in its treatment of European problems. America cannot possibly be interested in seeing Germany dismembered or deprived of territory which is now coveted in the western quarters of Europe. To expect far-reaching political aid from the United States, I believe, would be an error. The present issue, however, is not purely political, but it involves the principle firmly establishing the solidarity of the interests of all nations.

"Proof of this may be found in prevailing world conditions. The United States is overstocked with raw materials which we badly need. The thought of solidarity of nations, however, involves the principle that the negotiations be conducted on a basis of equality. The imposition of the penalties with which we are threatened would be tantamount to a resurrection of the state of war. Under these conditions, we feel we were justified in making an 11th-hour appeal to arbitration. To this end, we proposed giving the United States an opportunity to propagate the principle to which its present as well as its former administrations have fully subscribed."

In the course of his speech, the former ambassador referred to American relief work carried on in Germany.

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Swift's Premium Ham, 10 to 12 lb. av., 30c lb.

Genuine Spring Lamb Chops, lb. 35c	Native Veal Chops, lb. 30c	Extra Fancy Mushrooms (why pay more) lb. 60c
Try Our Home Made Pork Sausage, lb. 25c	Pure Lard in Packages, lb. 14c	Try Our Home-Made Tomato Sausage, lb. 22c
Fancy Sirloin Steak, lb. 38c	Best Top Round Steak, lb. 45c	Choice Cut Rump Steak, lb. 55c

LEG AND LOIN OF BABY LAMB, lb. 25c
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FANCY BRISKET CORNED BEEF, lb. ... 16c

Choice Cuts of Chuck Roast Beef, lb. 16c

Fresh Ground Hamburg, lb. 12½c	Honeycomb Pocket Tripe, lb. 15c	Good Salt Spare Ribs, lb. 10c
Top Rib Roast Beef, best quality, lb. ... 28c	Bottom Round, to roast, lb. 32c	Edge Bones, very meaty, lb. 15c
Large Can Tomatoes, heavy pack, can ... 10c	Campbell's Beans, 2 cans for 25c	Canned Corn, very choice, can 10c

HAYMARKET BRAND BACON, lb. 23c

Fresh Western Eggs, all guaranteed, doz. 32c

BEST CEYLON TEA, lb. 23c

California Pea Beans, 4 lbs. for 25c	"Farmers Take Notice" BEST MAINE SEED POTATOES 2 Bushel Bag $1.60 21c Peck	Pink Salmon, 2 cans for 25c
Heavy Salt Pork, lb. 14c		Libby's Tall Red Salmon, can 32c
Whole Rice, very fancy, 5 lbs. for ... 25c		Rolled Oats, 2 pkgs. for 15c

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Basket of Fancy Strawberries, full quarts ..35c Basket

NEW POTATOES, ... 2 Lbs. for 15c

Compound for Shortening, lb. 10c	Common Onions, 15 lbs. for 25c	Texas Onions, 4 lbs. for 25c
Honey Suckle Rhubarb, lb. 7c	Dried Beef, lb. 65c	Sliced Ham, very choice, lb. 35c
Libby's Large Jar Olives 25c	Choice Canned Peaches, can 25c	Gold Medal Flour, bag $1.32

OAKDALE CREAMERY BUTTER, lb. 41c

FANCY GRAPEFRUIT ..... 10c Each
Thin Skinned and Full of Juice—Not Pithy and Dry Inside

BONELESS SIRLOIN, Choice Cuts, lb. 35c

NICE LARGE HEAD LETTUCE, Not the Small, Soft, Squashy Kind, 20c	SUNKIST NAVEL ORANGES, Doz. 35c

Alabama New Cabbage, lb. 5c	New Carrots, bunch 5c	No. 1 Wine Sap Apples, 3 lbs. for 25c
Fresh Tomatoes, very choice, lb. 22c	Fancy Asparagus, bunch 35c	Choice Butter Beans, qt. 18c

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ENJOYABLE PARTY

On Wednesday evening, April 27th, a very enjoyable party was held at the home of Miss Helen Ivers, 80 Third street. The young folks gathered shortly after eight, and games were enjoyed until 9.30. Refreshments were then served. A musical program was carried out as follows: The solos were rendered by the Misses Molley Ivers and Alice McPadden, while the piano selections were given by Eleanor McPadden, Helen Ivers, Rolande Murnier, Mildred Gaffney, Richard Burit, and Clifford Malo. A reading "Rossa" was given by Florence Baxter. Archie Keith, last but not least, proved to be the life of the party. The party broke up at an early hour and each guest received a souvenir of the occasion.

WANTS U. S. ARMY OF 175,000

Chairman Kahn Declares Enlisted Force of 168,000 Too Small

To Offer Amendment to Army Appropriation Bill Calling for Increase

WASHINGTON, April 29—Chairman Kahn of the military affairs committee told the house today that an enlisted force of 168,000 men, as fixed by the army appropriation bill, was too small and that at the proper time he would offer an amendment increasing the number to 175,000.

"I am not an alarmist, I am not afraid of war, but we all know that world conditions are unsettled," he declared, "and in the interest of true economy, in the interest of the welfare of the country, I shall appeal to the membership of this house to support such an amendment."

Citing the fact that Japan and China both had much larger armies than this country, the California representative said that in proportion to population, only Colombia and Paraguay had smaller armies than the United States.

"Thousands of our fellow citizens believe," said Mr. Kahn, "that this country by its action in the way of reducing its army can bring about international disarmament without any difficulty. Some months have elapsed since we reduced our forces. I have seen no indication anywhere that any other nation in the world is making efforts to follow our footsteps. Therefore, I consider it the part of wisdom, at least for the present, to maintain a force the minimum of which will be 175,000 enlisted men."

Answering the demand for reduction of government expenses, Mr. Kahn declared the secretary of war could be trusted absolutely to cut expenses whenever possible without injury to the military establishment.

"It seems to me the facts are so patpable that no one at this time ought to want to cripple our military establishment," Mr. Kahn declared. "We have grave international questions which our state department is trying to solve. We hope they will be solved with honor and credit to our government. During the pendency of these matters and in their solution, no individual can foretell what is going to happen; I for one believe we can afford to be prepared for any possible emergency, and I think the American people will approve the increase in our enlisted force."

EFFORTS OF THE LABOR UNIONS CONDEMNED

NEW YORK, April 29—Efforts of labor unions to fix the selling prices of articles were condemned yesterday by the annual convention of the American Newspaper Publishers' association and members were urged not to be stampeded into buying newsprint by threats of predictions of higher prices.

The resolution on price fixing aimed at conditions in photo-engraving such as led to legislation recently in New York state, reads:

"The American Newspaper Publishers' association in convention assembled views with concern the effort of labor unions to fix the selling price to the consumer of articles or products; and therefore resolves that the fixing of a minimum selling base of any article or product used in the conduct of trade, commerce or manufacture is destructive of competition tends to create a monopoly and is detrimental to the best interests of all citizens."

The resolution on newsprint, calling attention to recent increase in production, expressed the opinion that the present supply on the American continent was largely in excess of consumption and that consumption this year would be less than last year.

The present contract price of newsprint is, in the opinion of the committee, the price not determined by manufacturing costs but by previous competitive conditions which do not now obtain.

"In view of the present situation with respect to available production, supply and consumption, your committee recommends to the members of the A.N.P.A. that they be not stampeded into purchases on the spot market or under contract by selling threats and predictions of higher prices, etc."

Members were urged to consult the association's paper committee before making new commitments in the spot or contract market and to report all quotations to the committee. The resolution urged co-operative buying by sectional groups of smaller consumers and emphasized the necessity of continuing conservation as the most effective method of restoring normal price levels and preventing waste.

Button Day for Irish Relief

Continued

Conception school; Fred H. Rourke's office, Central street, and the Sacred Heart school hall.

During the forenoon the canvassers will confine their efforts to the residential sections in the various parishes of the city and in the afternoon and evening they will be on the down-town streets and in the theatres. They will not visit office buildings. The "button day" will continue from 6 in the morning to 9 o'clock at night. The receipts will be turned over to the Middlesex Safe Deposit & Trust Co. to be counted.

Each parish will be in charge of a captain, who will be responsible for the conduct of the drive in her district. A number of automobiles have been offered for use in the outlying districts. Peter J. McKenna and Fred H. Rourke will each contribute two machines and Mrs. John T. Donohue and Bernard Callahan, one machine each. Others are expected before the drive begins.

The "button day" will mark the end of the Irish relief drive all over the state.

Meeting Tonight

Tonight at 7.30 in Elks hall there will be a meeting of the general committee in charge of the campaign to raise $15,000 here and it is expected that returns will be made to give the committee an idea of just how far from its quota Lowell now is.

The big carnival being held at the Kasino continues to draw large crowds and the special attraction of a children's day tomorrow afternoon is being looked forward to eagerly by the youngsters of the city. The committee in charge has arranged for several novel specialties for tonight and tomorrow night.

Additional Contributions

Treasurer Stephen Flynn today acknowledged the following additional contributions to the local campaign fund:

Patrick Henry Council, A.A.R.L.R., Chelmsford Centre, Mary F. Hill, Treasurer	$100
Gerald Cahill	100
Rourke Family	50
Thomas F. Kelley	25
A Friend	12
A Friend	10
Mr. and Mrs. John Mulryan	10
John J. Sullivan	10
Joseph A. Legare	10
Bernard Tully	5
Bryan McFadden	5
Mrs. Mary Gleason	5
Alice Conotan	5
J. D. Finnegan	5
Mrs. Mary Gleason	2

WOMEN COULD DO MORE THAN OFFICERS

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Women "with positive conversational powers" can make a bigger dent in retail prices than the whole department of justice machinery, Attorney General Daugherty declared yesterday. A squad of women so equipped could do more with a dealer than the government, he said, adding that retail prices remained up despite the slump in wholesale figures, leaving profits in which he could see no reason, in meats and other household commodities.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Frederick W. Battersby and Miss Alice V. Bowman were married yesterday afternoon at St. Margaret's church, the officiating clergyman being the pastor, Rev. C. J. Galligan. The bridesmaid was Miss Mary Ellen Burke, while the best man was Mr. Clarence J. Barrows.

CHELMSFORD STREET HOSPITAL

There are 287 patients at the Chelmsford Street hospital at the present time. The gardening season is now on in full swing on the grounds surrounding the hospital. A large quantity of peas have been planted and ground has been turned for potatoes.

DELINQUENT HUSBAND

Joseph Savignac was brought before Judge Enright in police court today charged with non-support of his wife and two children. Mrs. Savignac took of one of her little ones being in the hospital, while she is caring for the other from her own earnings, receiving no financial assistance from the defendant in spite of a court order that he contribute $4 a week. Savignac was arrested on a caplas warrant when he disregarded the decree of the court. He was ordered to the house of correction for four months, suspension of a former sentence being revoked. His wife will benefit to the extent of $3 a week paid by the county.

France Wants Direct Action

Continued

posals on reparations put forward by Germany was expected to be reported by Secretary Hughes today to President Harding upon the latter's return from Hampton Roads where yesterday he reviewed the Atlantic fleet.

Since the departure Wednesday of the executive on the yacht Mayflower Secretary Hughes has discussed the situation with the diplomatic representatives of Great Britain, France and Belgium and received the views of their governments.

Although official announcement on the conversations has been withheld, it is understood, the secretary was informed that the three powers regard the German offer in its present form as unacceptable. It is not known whether suggestions were made that Germany be asked to submit new and more liberal terms.

Secretary Hughes has not yet heard from the Italian and Japanese governments and no reply has been made to the German communication.

Await Word From United States

PARIS, April 29.—Dr. von Oertzen, temporary president of the German war burdens commission, told the Excelsior last night he was unable to express a view of the subject of the demand by the reparations commission of 132,000,000,000 gold marks as the total damages for which reparations is due from Germany.

"Before giving an opinion," he said, "it would be advisable to await the result of the negotiations in which Germany is engaged with the United States. No one can foresee what will happen, and any hour may modify events."

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One of these Silk Frocks answers the purpose exactly. Fine for shopping, for church, for traveling—

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New Jersey Coats, belted models, tuxedo front, three pockets, several styles to select from—

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Fine Line of Sport Hats—All new colors, rolled or straight brims.

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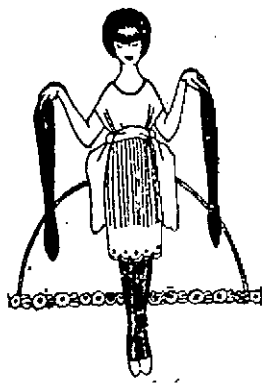

Women's Thread Silk, full fashioned lisle or silk tops $2.00

Women's Pure Dye Silk Stockings, lisle tops and soles, also fancy stripes $1.25

Women's Pure Dye Silk Stockings, fancy clock, $1.50

Women's Cotton Lisle, black and cordovan stockings 24c

Children's Fine Ribbed Cotton Hose, in black, white and cordovan, 25c

Children's Fine Mercerized Socks, fancy colored tops, all sizes, 35c

Children's High Grade Cotton Stockings, all sizes, no seconds 15c

BLOUSES

New Cotton Blouses, regular and stout figures. Many models have dainty ruffles, long sleeves, with fancy turn-back cuffs, $2.98

White Voile Blouses—Stout sizes, 45 to 51 bust measure, long sleeves, trimmed with fine quality lace. Some have pin tucking, button front styles, excellent values.... $2.98

New Mignonette Over-Blouses with braid trimming to match, three-quarter length sleeves, round neck, $4.98

Fast Black Waists—V neck, long sleeves, fine tucking in front. Good assortment of sizes, $1.98

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LAVENDER FOR BLONDS

Lavender and apple blossoms—could you be anything but happy in such a combination of loveliness? Joseph combines the two in this good looking, short back mushroom and poises at the front a luscious bunch of blossoms. Maline at the edge gives it the softness so much to be desired with summery frocks. And to wear it becomingly there must be a soft fluff of hair about the face. There could be nothing more lovely for you, blond lady, than lavender and apple blossoms!

TURKISH HAREMS ARE PASSING OUT

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 29.—The Turkish harem is quickly passing as a part of the Turkish home. Poverty and the need for house room are the causes.

The Turkish pashas, effendis, beys and all the well-to-do of other days whose homes were divided into the harem and the haremlik, that is, one-half of a mansion or palace for the women and the other for the men, are parting with this luxury as they have parted with their carriages, horses, jewels and lands. The peasants still keep a division of their houses for the privacy of their wives and daughters and children.

Many Turkish women deplore the necessity which compels them to live like the "poor European." They declare that they were happier when living apart, that the home was easier to manage and their husbands, too.

In Constantinople the majority of the private houses show this division, but the chance to rent one side of the house, or else the requisitions of allied troops, has caused families to live together in only one-half of their home.

Foreigners are getting for the first time a peep into the more aristocratic of these old homes, until now hidden in the mystery of protecting garden walls, latticed windows and huge gates or doorways. The visit often reveals a charming interior, with room, walls and ceilings decorated with fresco paintings and mosaics showing views of mosques, mountains, seas, forests, or rovers of the old empire.

As the homes are vacated, their elaborate European furniture, together with much of the collections of brocades, gossamer silks and fine rugs are sold at auctions held in the house or else sent to the dealers or auction room of the old Bazaar.

New York city has more school children than North Dakota has total population.

CINOT EXPERT SAYS HE IS CONVINCED THAT A LOWELL MAN IS CHAMPION

Mr. J. S. Stratton of 3 Webster Street, Lowell, Mass., and a Resident for Twenty-six Years and a Checker Player of Local Fame Gladly Indorses CINOT

"Mr. Stratton," says the Cinot expert, "is not only a champion checker player but he knows a good medicine when he takes it and judges it by the results he gets." Mr. Stratton says:

"I have felt for the past three weeks that I needed a good Spring Tonic and blood purifier as I have felt the effects of Spring. I felt tired out and weak and had no appetite at all and it seemed that I was tired even on arising in the morning."

"I guess most everyone feels this way in the Spring and they need a remedy to brace them up and as nature furnishes the best remedy I looked around for a herbal one and am glad to say that I found it in CINOT and after taking two bottles I have received wonderful results and am glad to indorse CINOT to my friends and I know if they take it they will be as well satisfied as I am."

CINOT IS BEING DEMONSTRATED IN LOWELL BY AN EXPERT AT DOWS' DRUG STORE, MERRIMACK SQ., AND IS FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.—Adv.

AMERICAN SHOWS WAY OUT OF DEADLOCK

COBLENZ, April 29.—America's representation on the interalliied Rhineland commission, while described as unofficial, wields as much influence in a consultative capacity upon the decisions taken by the commission as that of the three allied countries officially represented, according to Mr. Holyn-Jacquemyns, Belgian high commissioner on the Rhine.

General Allen, acting in his dual capacity of commander of the American Forces in Germany and representative of the department of state, attends every sitting of the commission or, when unable to be present, is represented by Colonel Stone of Mississippi. No decisions are taken without having been first submitted to the American representatives and in many cases American suggestions have been acted upon and have caused agreements to be reached when it seemed as if a hopeless deadlock was to be feared.

Lately, when the question of the application of the new customs regime in the occupied zone, decided upon at the London conference on March 3 was discussed, the British and the French points of view were very far apart. After a few days' discussion, General Allen's opinion was asked.

The discussion had been somewhat acrimonious and General Allen, while not indorsing unreservedly either point of view, proposed a medium solution. To the French who were advocating the sternest measures, he said: "You can'et get both steak and milk from the same cow."

To the British he demonstrated that better results might be obtained by adopting another course and after a few hours discussion upon details of execution, the commission drafted its report which was sent to the council of ambassadors the next day.

The American's viewpoint upon a momentous question of penalties was adopted.

It is the consensus of opinion among delegations to the Rhineland commission that America's participation in the deliberations of the commission has had a restraining influence upon extremists in both French and German officialdom.

FISH THAT SEES AND FEELS WITH FEET

By E. E. FREE

The starfish is deserving of more respect than he commonly receives.

His brilliant reds and yellows and irridescent greens and browns are decorative in his native pools and even after his dried and faded remains grow dusty on the whatnot of some inland parlor.

But beauty is not his only claim to notice. He is an animal of very ancient lineage, and he not only feels but sees with his feet.

As everyone knows, the complexities of brain and nerves and senses, of heart and blood vessels, of stomach and digestive system which the human species enjoys are the result of ages of evolution.

And nearly all of these things are present in rudimentary form in the starfish.

If you have seen only a dried starfish you probably have never seen his feet. But if you gently pry loose from the rock a good-sized live one and hold him for a moment just beneath the water surface and so that you can see his under side, you will notice coming out from the under surface of each arm and waving about in the water a great number of whitish tube-like projections perhaps as thick as the lead of a pencil and an inch or so long. These are the feet.

At the end of each tube is a tiny sucker and by these the starfish fastens himself to the rock or pulls himself along.

And curiously enough these tube-feet are the only organs of sense which the starfish is known to possess. From each little tube-foot a thread of a nerve runs to the central nervous ring.

When a foot touches anything information goes at once to the main nerve centre and other feet can be pushed out to take hold of it and bring it, if it be good to eat, to a position where it can be devoured.

At the extreme end of each of the arms of the starfish is a single tube-foot which is especially sensitive and well provided with nerves and at the base of this end foot is a still more highly developed nervous spot, which is the eye.

NARRAGANSETT BAY BASE OF SQUADRON

NEWPORT, R. I., April 29.—Narragansett bay is to be the base of the destroyer squadron of the Atlantic fleet this summer. The rendezvous will bring 150 destroyers and auxiliary vessels to these waters. Five destroyers have already arrived.

The main fleet of destroyers, it has just been announced, will leave Charleston, S. C., their winter base, on May 15, and proceed to New York for a stay of two weeks to permit the crews to have shore liberty. The squadron, under command of Rear Admiral A. H. Robertson, will then proceed to Narragansett bay, arriving about June 5.

COMING DOWN

The hem line is descending—this is the word from Paris. And every dress which can find an excuse for doing so wears a train, you'll find. Sometimes they are simply long tassels which drag their luxurious weight from the ends of a sash.

FRECKLE-FACE

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots, How to Remove Easily

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable concern that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this strength is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

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The colors are bright and clean. The designs are clever, because these goods are well made, well colored, and cleverly designed. They are FAR SUPERIOR to those offered by others at similar prices.

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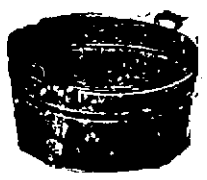

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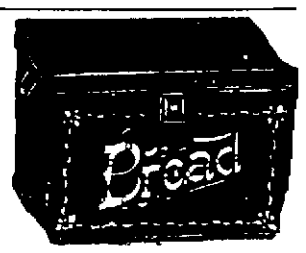

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2 burner size $18.50
3 burner size $25.00
4 burner size $31.50
1 burner Oven, asbestos lined $6.49
2 burner Oven, asbestos lined $7.49
Asbestos Kindlers, each ..... 15¢

Perfection Oil Cook Stoves

2 burner size $18.50
3 burner size $25.00
4 burner size $31.50
1 burner Oven $5.50
2 burner Oven $6.75
No. 21 Perfection Wick and Carrier, ea., 35¢

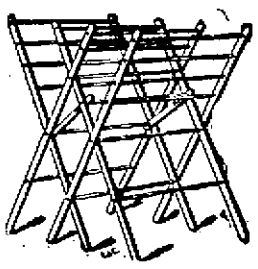
Floor Brooms

No. 6 Daisy, made of good grade corn stock, four rows of stitching, with polished cedar handle, each ..... 69¢

Oblong Splint Clothes Baskets

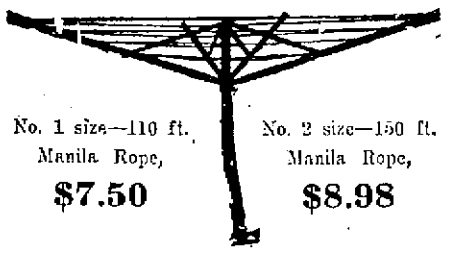
Length	Width	Depth	Price
25 in.	16 in.	13 in.	$1.98
28 in.	18 in.	13 in.	$2.19
30 in.	20 in.	14 in.	$2.39

Folding CLOTHES HORSES



No. 3, 40 ft. drying space $2.25
No. 3½, 50 ft. drying space, $2.59
No. 4, 60 ft. drying space $2.98

Advance Clothes Dryers



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Every Piece Guaranteed

Baby Bath Tub, $5.25

Convex Sauce Pans, $1.59, $1.80, $2.59, $2.69
Convex Kettles, $1.89, $1.98, $2.59, $2.69, $3.39
Lipped Sauce Pans, 50c, 69c, 75c, 89c, 98c, $1.19
Coffee Pots $1.75, $2.19, $2.39
Tea Pots $1.75, $2.19, $2.39
Pudding Pans, 50c, 69c, 75c, 80c, $1.19, $1.25
Mixing Bowls, 69c, 75c, 98c, $1.25, $1.49, $1.69
Rice Boilers $2.59, $2.98, $3.49
Tea Kettles $2.98, $3.49, $3.98

HOUSEKEEPING HELPS

Window Brushes 98c, $1.10, $1.25
Counter Brushes 35c, 49c, 79c, 98c
Scrub Brushes 25c, 29c, 38c
Feather Dusters ..... 50c to $4.39
Toilet Paper 12½, 18c, 25c
Clothes Lines 50c, 75c, 98c, $1.10
Whisk Brooms 45c, 49c, 69c
Black Wire Screen Paint 30c, 50c, 80c
Egg Beaters 35c, 45c, 50c, 59c, 69c, 75c
Universal Food Choppers $2.49, $2.75, $3.98
Wall Clothes Dryers $1.25, $1.49, $1.75
Dish Drainers 35c, 42c, 49c, 75c, $1.10
Wire Strainers 10c, 12c, 15c, 25c, 38c
Flour Sifters ..... 25c and 45c
Wire Broilers 25c, 29c, 38c, 69c, 75c

Saniflush 25c
Sparkline Silver Polish 25c, 50c
Johnson's Wax 50c, 75c
O'Cedar Polish 30c, 60c, $1.25, $2.00
Liquid Veneer 30c, 60c
Lux, for washing blankets or sweaters .. 12½c
Mend-All Cement 10c
Sutfol Wonder Cloth, for cleaning windows 50c
Lovald's Furniture Polish 25c, 50c, $1.00
Howard Dust Cloths 30c
Lord's Nubiack Stove Polish ..... 20c and 35c
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Welcome Soap 6½c
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Suits
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These reductions were not necessary but were the result of a special purchase within the last ten days. The price they were bought at was much lower than the actual cost of materials and manufacturing.

No one can resist buying at this sale, as there's apparel for general utility, for formal and informal wear. No matter how complete your wardrobe you will find it worth your while to come in and pick out one or more garments.

Navy Blue Suits

$35.00 and $40.00 Navy Blue Suits. Sale price

$25.00

$45.00 and $50.00 Navy Blue Suits. Sale price

$35.00

Velour Wraps

A big assortment of Velour Wraps, in plain and embroidered styles, misses' and ladies' sizes, all colors. These wraps sold for $25.00 and $30.00. Sale price

$15.00

Bolivia Wraps

A nice assortment of Bolivia Wraps, in light and dark colors, embroidered and plain models. Regular prices $40.00 and $45.00. Sale price

$25.00

Raincoats

$10 Black Rubber Raincoats reduced to **$5.00**
$12.50 Raincoats reduced to..... **$7.50**

Girls' Polo Coats

Girls' Polo Coats, sizes 8 to 14 years, in tan and Pekin, pretty models in all sizes. Unusual values at

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Regular Prices $35.00, $40.00 and $45.00

These dresses are marked less than cost of materials and the making. In this lot are dresses of Taffeta, Crepe de Chine, Canton Crepe, Foulard and Georgette. Mostly one or two of a kind. All colors.

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—REDUCED—

$25.00 Serge and Tricotine Dresses reduced to **$18.50**

$30.00 Tricotine Dresses reduced to **$22.50**

$35.00 Tricotine Dresses reduced to **$25.00**

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Jersey Sport Coats

$7.50

Regular Price $15.00

A big assortment of Jersey Sport Coats, in the Tuxedo models, all colors. The coats are marked just half the original value.

$30.00 Polo Coats

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An unusual collection of Sport Coats at prices much lower than present market prices.

Misses' Plaid Sport Coats; regular price $22.50 ..... **$10.00**

Misses' and Women's Polo Coats; regular prices $18.50 to $35.00,

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BILL TO KILL "RACE SUICIDE" CLAUSES

BOSTON, April 29.—The committee on the judiciary yesterday reported a bill to put an end to the "race suicide" clauses which rent profiteers have been including in leases of tenements.

The bill would make unenforcible any clause in a lease which stipulates that rent might be increased because of an increase in the size of the tenant's family, if such increase is due to the birth or adoption of a child or children.

In a recent report by the commission on the necessaries of life it was set forth that certain landlords had written into the leases a provision that the rent price fixed in the leases would be automatically increased if the size of the tenant's family was increased.

The bill to prevent enforcement of such a clause was reported in the senate yesterday and will come up for consideration on the calendar of that branch today.

NECK LINE

The popular line for the neck is the "decolette a la Vierge." This is the line you've seen in the old paintings of the virgins at Louvre. It is rather higher at the neck and front and falls away at the shoulders.

NEED "S. R. O." SIGN FOR CHOIR CANTATA

If an "S.R.O." sign was not hung out at the First Presbyterian church last night it was very likely because none had been provided for the occasion. The cantata, "Sherwood's Queen," was presented by members of the choir of the church. It was a second performance, and it seemed probable that all who had witnessed the first presentation had urged their friends and relatives to witness the play. People began to arrive early and they continued arriving until after the performance had begun. The vestry of the church in which the cantata was sung has seating accommodations for not more than 250 persons, but fully 350 were present to witness the performance. As a result of the success of the evening's entertainment it is being planned to present "Sherwood's Queen" again.

The operetta was produced under the direction of John M. Brown and Mrs. Lillian Dodge Haskell.

COLLARS

As the summer progresses you'll notice on the cooler days that collars will be high. They'll be relieved from "straight-up-ness" by petals, ruches and frills. In some instances there will be fur edgings—say our tailors.

MAPLES HOLD DANCE

A successful dancing party was conducted last evening in Lincoln hall by the Maples. The attendance numbered about 150 and dancing was enjoyed till a seasonable hour. The officers for the evening were James Carroll, general manager; Leo Hurley, floor director; J. O'Heir, treasurer; J. Cavley, secretary; William Chell, chief aid; David Edwards and Manuel Fracus, aids.

According to an Italian liquefied hydrogen gas is [illegible] fuel for motor vehicles.

Baggage Master Shot—Mail Taken

BAYONNE, N. J., April 29.—Matthew Lyons, baggage master on the Jersey Central Railroad here, was shot and seriously wounded today by one of four men who held up a group of postoffice employes and escaped with three bags of mail, one of which contained registered mail.

10 Killed By Explosion In Cartridge Shop

PAMPLONA, Spain, April 29.—Ten workers were killed and a dozen others badly burned through an accidental explosion last night in the cartridge factory in the outskirts of the town.

Application for New Trial Denied

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 29.—The state supreme court today denied a new trial to A. C. Townley, president of the National Non-Partisan League and Joseph Gilbert, former organization manager of the league, convicted in 1919 on a charge of conspiracy to teach sedition.

Racing Yacht Held Up By Weather

HAMPTON, Va., April 29—The yacht Gar II racing against time from Miami to New York, was prevented by heavy weather from leaving here yesterday. Captain Gar Wood of Detroit, owner of the speed boat, said he will start for New York early today. He expects to finish his trip in 10 hours.

LOUD INDICTED ON MURDER CHARGE

CAMBRIDGE, April 29.—An indictment for first degree murder against Clarence W. Loud, of Melrose, was returned late yesterday by the Middlesex county grand jury after investigation of the shooting of Patrolman James A. Preston at Wakefield, on April 9. Loud has been under arrest since the killing.

Several persons whose names had not been previously mentioned in connection with the investigation were among the witnesses. One of these was Ernest Jacobs, a Wakefield fireman, and another was Louis E. Waitt of Saugus.

The jury also heard testimony from members of a card party which was held at the home of Carl P. Dow in Melrose on the night of April 9. Dow was examined for 20 minutes.

Eben F. Phillips and Robert T. Hay, Melrose men who are reported to have seen Loud at or near his home early in the evening of April 9, and others who have told the police they saw him on his way home some hours later also were heard.

CHAMP LETTER WRITER

CLEVELAND, April 29.—Joe Wood is the champion letter writer of the world champion Indians. His little boy, Joe, Jr., writes his daddy two or three letters daily while the Indians are traveling. Joe answers every one.

Since 1913 the wage cost per ton of producing coal in Great Britain has increased 158 per cent.

SELF-SERVICE GROCERY STORE

Crisco, lb.	17c
Ivory Soap (large)	12c
Mayfield Nut Oleo, lb.	27c
Ralston	24c
Howard's Salad Dressing	30c
Horlick's Malted Milk (large)	72c
R & R Chicken (large)	$1.05
Instant Postum (large)	37c
Lipton's Tea, Red Label (½ can)	35c
Fancy Selected Carton Eggs	35c
Pure Lard, in packages	15c
Meadow Brook Butter	50c
Baker's Sweet Chocolate, cube	10c
Baker's Cocoa (½ lb.)	22½c
Excelity Malt and Hops	$1.10
Quaker Oats (large)	25c
Bensdorp's Cocoa	65c
Chase & Sanborn's Coffee	39c
Fletcher's Castoria	26c
Baker's Premium Chocolate (½ lb.)	22c
Fancy Peaches in heavy syrup	20c
Fair Haven Raspberry	25c
Knox Gelatine	18c
Jello (all flavors)	10c
Marshmallow Mist	26c
Fancy Stuffed Olives	27c
Fancy Cut Beets, No. 3 can	14c
Lily of Valley Golden Bantam Corn	22c
Borden's Eagle Milk	23c
Rumford's Baking Powder (1 lb.)	28c
Dry Yeast, large	20c
Fancy Red Alaska Salmon	30c
Domino Syrup, No. 2 can	14c
B'rer Rabbit Molasses	23c
Blue Karo Syrup	11c
Maple Karo	20c
Molasses (1 gal. can)	65c
Campbell's Beans	10c
Snider's Ketchup	26c
Table Talk Ketchup	9c
Fancy Wet Pack Shrimps	20c
Sunkist Orange Jelly	16c
Hops	39c
Rinso	6½c
Welcome Soap	6c
Lux	10c
Worcester Salt, (10 lb. bag)	28c
Pettijohn	20c
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"WANT" LIST GIVEN BY COMMERCE CHAMBER

That the Lowell chamber of commerce has a nation-wide reputation as a clearing-house to which people with all sorts of "wants" can turn for assistance is shown by a statement issued today by the chamber dealing with "trade expansion opportunities." The statement follows:

Motor truck concern building a complete line of 1, 1½, 2½, and 4 ton models looking for a distributor connection in this city. Company is just completing new plant in Philadelphia which will give increased production of 3000 trucks annually.

Young college man, aged 28, of Pemberton, N. J., now executive and leader in government Americanization project, desires change as his present sphere is too limited. He has had extensive education along the lines of business management, interior economics, reducing labor turnover, chief clerk and executive and public speaking.

Manufacturers' representatives in San Francisco, selling to hardware and automotive jobbing trade and manufacturers, wants new accounts for articles to sell.

Sherbrooke, Quebec, board of trade is looking for a new secretary who would act as industrial commissioner. Wants a "live wire" young man, preferably one who can speak French and English.

Manufacturers' representatives in Mexico prepared to add to those they already represent several firms which want exclusive representation in the republic of Mexico.

Broker representing women's wear and theatrical interests looking for buildings for sale or lease, or store on lease, in this city. Wants only highest class locations in the busiest thoroughfares.

Rapid tranist company operating special freight trains in Mexico desires to get in touch more closely with any factories in this city which are carload shippers.

Young man, now secretary to the manager of a manufacturing plant doing an export business wishes to enter the selling line, independently. He is now in Richmond, Va., and is ready to consider a proposition with any manufacturers who desire representation in Richmond and contiguous territory. He claims financial ability to carry stock of goods and provide facilities for handling.

Members of the Colorado State Teachers' college making a study of methods of giving vocational guidance to children and preparing a suggestive course of study wants to get printed material on Lowell industries. Wishes terms on which she may secure exhibits showing various products.

A customer is ready to buy outright a small manufacturing business requiring an investment of about $25,000.

Goodell Speaks in Lawrence

William N. Goodell, former president of the local chamber, was one of the principal speakers last night at a "get-together" meeting and smoker of the Lawrence chamber of commerce. The subject of his address was, "How the Chamber of Commerce Works." Secretary-Manager George F. Wells and John M. O'Donoghue, of the local chamber attended the meeting.

FAIL TO SETTLE BRITISH COAL MINERS' STRIKE

LONDON, April 29.—Negotiations for the settlement of the coal strike having become deadlocked, the three parties to the dispute, the miners, the owners and the government, have once more returned to their respective camps to consider who should make the next attempt to negotiate a settlement.

The members of the miners' executive board scattered to the coal fields this morning apparently without expectation of any early adjustment of the difficulty.

"The negotiations are at an end," announced Sir Robert Horne, president of the board of trade, in the house of commons this morning. He deplored the fact that the miners had not accepted the governmental subsidy offer.

"As to the future, no useful predictions can be made," he continued. "We can only hope that the stoppage, which is now disclosed to be for a political object, may soon be terminated."

This conclusion of Sir Robert's remarks came amidst cries of "Nonsense" from representatives of the miners among the members.

Meanwhile the demand for a settlement is spreading among sections of the populace. Fortunately the continued summer-like weather is minimizing the physical inconvenience of the coal scarcity, but the public, seeing the theatres darkened, owing to slack business, the railways and street cars running on skeletonized schedules, and the lighting services cut to the minimum, is becoming apprehensive.

It is not expected, however, that any move will be made toward a settlement until next week as the spokesmen for the miners will not be available for consultations until they have finished their task of feeling out the attitude of the rank and file of the workers.

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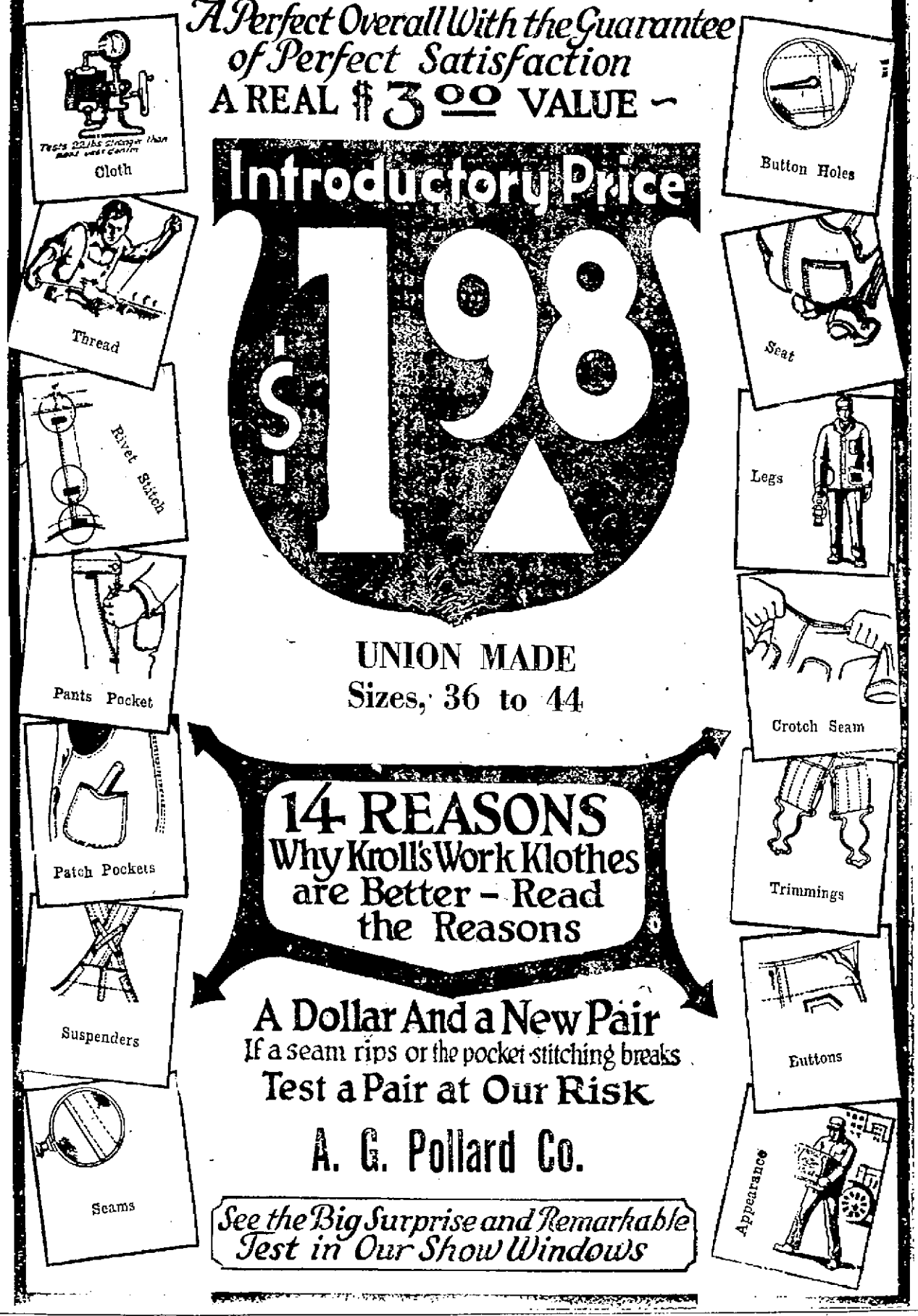

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TRIBUTE TO AMERICAN

Body of R. C. Fairfield, Killed in Italy During War, Transferred to Monument

VENICE, April 29.—The body of Richard Cutts Fairfield, one of the first two Americans killed in Italy during the war, was today transferred to the monument in the Mestre cemetery, near Venice, purposely erected to receive it.

Fairfield left Harvard university at the age of 15 to get into the war, but as the United States had not entered the conflict at the time, he enlisted in the British Red Cross and came to Italy with one of the first contingents. He was killed in 1916 by an Austrian bomb while transporting wounded at Mestre.

Italian soldiers and sailors and a detachment of American bluejackets rendered military honors as the coffin, covered with American and Italian flags was carried to its last resting place by a detachment of Italian soldiers and sailors. The mother of Fairfield, Mrs. James Cummings Barr, of New York, witnessed the ceremonies.

Brig. General Evan M. Johnson, military attache to the American embassy in Rome, represented the American army, and General Guglielmotti, formerly Italian military attache in Washington, represented the Italian war ministry. The mayor of Venice and high civil and military authorities also were present.

General Guglielmotti and General Johnson delivered addresses in which they emphasized the ties between the American and Italian armies and peoples. A letter from Robert Underwood Johnson, American ambassador to Italy, in which he regretted his inability to be present, was read.

HARDING RETURNS TO WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, April 29.—President Harding returned to the White House from the Atlantic fleet review in Hampton Roads at 9 o'clock this morning. The presidential yacht Mayflower on which the president and his party made the trip, docked here at 7 o'clock, but Mr. Harding slept late and breakfasted on board before going to the executive offices.

The Moors are credited with having introduced cotton manufacturing into London in 1589.

Eyes Tired?

If your eyes are tired and overworked; if they itch, ache, burn or smart, go to any drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and use to bathe the eyes from two to four times a day. You will be surprised at the rest, relief and comfort Bon-Opto brings.

Note: Doctors say Bon-Opto strengthens eyesight 50% in a week's time in many instances.

EX-GOVERNOR LOWDEN SPEAKS IN NASHUA

NASHUA, N. H., April 29.—More than 500 Masons from the Valley of the Nashua, attending the annual convention of the New Hampshire consistory, Scottish Rite, heard yesterday a message of congratulation from President Harding and an address by ex-Gov. Frank O. Lowden of Illinois.

Mr. Lowden arrived from Boston by auto and was first entertained at the Nashua Country club by the 32d degree Masons. Walter G. Africa of Manchester was named as his special aid for the day.

The ex-governor devoted much of the address to good government and the part the Masonic fraternity had taken during the world war. The speaker paid a high tribute to the spirit which is behind the plans for the consistory cathedral in this city saying "If any edifice is entitled to be called a cathedral it is that edifice which is to be erected by the Masons."

Previous to the address Harry M. Cheney of Concord presented to the consistory a jewel box containing the gavel to be used when the cathedral is completed.

The gift was accepted by Commander Horace E. Osgood. Mr. Lowden was the guest of Maj. Ivory C. Eaton during the day.

The 26th degree was presented under George Abram French at the Colonial theatre with more than 250 candidates. This was followed by lunch at the Masonic banquet hall and city auditorium. Yesterday the 24th degree was presented under the direction of Ralph Chandler Marden.

The closing ceremonial was at the Colonial theatre last night when the largest class in the history of the consistory took the 32d degree under the direction of Ivory C. Eaton. The convocation closed with dancing at the city auditorium.

During the day several hundred women relatives of the Masons were entertained at the Nashua Country club and the city auditorium. There were lunches at the Country club at noon and last evening.

A Korean invented the potter's wheel and a Korean potter discovered the art of undergiazing.

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BLACK AND TANS AROUSE PEERS

Action Denounced by Lord Parmour as That of Demented Red Indians

Hotel Proprietors and Two Policemen Killed — Machine Gun Used

(From the New York World)

LONDON, April 27—One of the most sensational accusations ever made against the British government's auxiliary forces in Ireland was heard today in the house of lords when Lord Charles Parmoor called attention to the attack on the Shannon View hotel, Castle Connell, last Sunday week, and moved that immediate steps be taken to insure a public and impartial inquiry. The resolution was agreed to.

Lord Parmoor read letters from his own brother, a surgeon, aged between seventy and eighty, who was staying at a hotel with his wife on the day in question, and who, said Lord Parmoor, usually sided with the government on Irish questions. His brother had visited the hotel for thirty or forty years to go fishing. He wrote to say:

Whole Place Shot Up

"Our landlord, a perfectly innocent honorable and much beloved man, was killed almost before our eyes. My wife and I were held up by revolvers pointed at our breasts. Besides O'Donovan (the proprietor) two police were shot dead. The whole place was shot to pieces by a machine gun brought inside the hotel. It was the most wicked attack you could imagine, and to my horror the perpetrators were Black and Tan auxiliary forces, sixty in number.

"Over a thousand shots must have been fired, and the auxiliaries behaved like demented red Indians. Of course we thought it was an attack by Sinn Feiners."

In another letter to his daughter, Lord Parmoor continued, his brother went into greater detail. He stated that as they were sitting down to dinner there came a sudden crash. A number of men rushed into the room, each holding a heavy revolver in each hand. They covered him and his wife at a distance of two feet and stood there three or four minutes without speaking. Then some dozen or more men rushed along the passage upstairs yelling and firing as rapidly as possible. There was no kind of order, each man firing wildly. Doors were riddled. Outside, numbers of men were firing up and down the street, the inhabitants standing with arms over their heads. The men were mostly in rough civilian clothes, and the firing lasted half an hour. Then they got into armored lorries and drove away.

Attack Called Mistake

It was said that the attack was a mistake, two parties mistaking each other for Sinn Feiners. "To me," said Lord Parmoor's brother, "this was almost incredible, as even I recognized three men at the bar as policemen."

Lord Parmoor added that he had received another letter from his brother last night saying: "I forgot to mention that I have a bullet picked up by me on the 17th unexploded. The bullet had been reversed, thus converting it into an expanding bullet of the most deadly character. Such bullets inflict the most terrible wounds, and were prohibited in the late war."

"Here is the dumdum bullet," said Lord Parmoor holding it up, "which anyone can see, and it is not suggested that anyone fired except the government auxiliaries."

He demanded a full and impartial inquiry. He repudiated any sympathy with Sinn Fein violence, but said the worst violence of all was that organized or connived at by the government servants. He spoke with some heat, because he felt his brother had had a narrow escape from death.

Morris Seconds Motion

Lord Morris, in seconding the motion, said that everyone who had any regard for the fair fame of the country would feel garteful to the noble Lord for bringing the matter before the house. The most scandalous crimes were being committed in Ireland every day in the name of law and order, and information was withheld.

Lord Shandon said the auxiliary forces should be disbanded. These irregular acts by them were alienating all government supporters. Lord Crawford, replying for the government, said the matter was a subject of military inquiry. Lord Crewe pointed out that Lord Crawford did not utter a single word of regret or reprobation. Lord Salisbury asked if the result of the inquiry would be made public. Lord Crawford said he was unable to give a reply at that moment. The motion was then adopted.

For Itching Eczema, Old Sores and Piles

"I guarantee my ointment," says Peterson of Buffalo, "to cure eczema; to stop the itching at once and any reliable druggist will cheerfully refund your money if PETERSON'S OINTMENT doesn't do everything I say it will do."

William A. Carley of Franklin, N. Y., is surely a wise man. He writes: "I used PETERSON'S OINTMENT on a little boy suffering terribly with eczema. It did the work."

Then there is Alex. Louttel, a brave fireman of Buffalo, who is glad to write as follows: "I had an old sore on my leg for many years. The best doctors failed. PETERSON'S OINTMENT entirely healed the sore quickly." And from over in Canada comes a letter from A. Blockeby, stating: "The best thing I ever hit for itching piles is PETERSON'S OINTMENT." A big box for 35 cents. Mail orders filled by Peterson Ointment Co., Inc., Buffalo, N. Y. —Adv.

Bull's Eye

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AT DRUGGISTS

COALITION SPEAKERS RAP IRISH FUND

BOSTON, April 29.—Insinuations that the use made of the money collected for Irish relief, as well as the money raised during the Irish bond drive in this country, might well be looked into, and charges that the republican party in Boston and New York is "eating out of the hand of the Sinn Fein," while the same party in middle west is dictated to by the "pro-Germans" of that section, were among the features of the fourth mass meeting of the Loyal Coalition in Boston, held last night in Symphony hall.

These statements and others of similar nature drew fire from certain portions of the audience, which took the form for the most part of hisses and jeers. The heckling came entirely during an address of Rev. Percy Gordon, pastor of St. Bartholomew's church, New York. To the delight of the majority of the audience, which showed that it was sympathetic to the coalition, the speaker hit back at the hecklers.

Mr. Gordon flayed the Irish politicians of the east, the Irish police of metropolitan cities, the press of the large cities, the Sinn Fein, the "pro-Germans of the middle west" and "a certain Irish member of the United States senate from Massachusetts."

Floyd Questions Relief Fund

It was Demarest Lloyd, president of the coalition, who presided, who assailed the Irish relief fund. He also berated the "reprisal campaign of the Sinn Fein" in this country in the matter of "a boycott not only against British firms, but against American firms which handle British goods."

"The professional Irishmen had better look out," he said. "The boycott can work both ways and if it is ever turned around on them they will be squealing for mercy in short order."

He questioned the need of relief in Ireland in comparison with other countries of the world, and added that "the relief funds will be distributed principally among lawless and indolent elements and their sympathizers."

He proceeded to question the use the money collected for Irish relief was put to, saying:

"Then, too, it might be well to inquire what becomes of all the money collected at various times for Ireland. It is not reliably reported that the money has gone to the benefit of the Irish people. In connection with the late Irish bond drive it was reported on good authority that while they were after $10,000,000 they raised only $5,000,000, and of that amount only $650,000 ever got to Ireland."

"Surprise Speaker" Not There

There were five speakers, including Mr. Lloyd and Dr. Gordon. The others were Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard university; ex-Senator Charles S. Thomas of Colorado and Rev. Isaac Ward, introduced by Mr. Lloyd as "a loyal member of ours," who described the Loyal Coalition as "an organization that God has raised up." Dr. Eliot spoke on Americanization.

Dr. Ward caused something of a sensation when he declared that he was "mighty suspicious that the recent meeting in Madison Square garden, New York, where Gen. Pershing spoke, would never have been held if it hadn't been for the work of the Loyal Coalition." He also said that Demarest Lloyd was "the man who kept the Irish planks out of the party platforms at the last two national political conventions."

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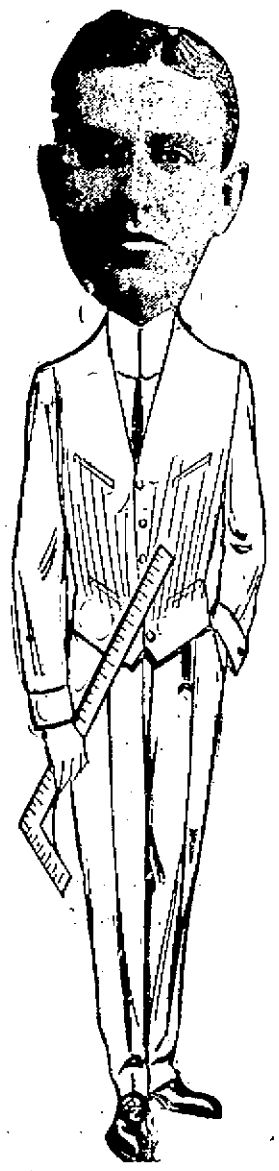

AN EXTRA PAIR OF TROUSERS OF SAME MATERIAL DOUBLES THE LIFE OF YOUR SUIT

I appreciate the fact that most big men have a lot of trouble finding the goods and patterns they like. Here's what I added this week—sixteen full pieces in worsteds, hard finish, grey sharkskins, dark silk mixtures, pin checks and grey clays. Just the thing for the corpulent man. No extra charge up to 50 waistline; over that I must charge extra. These suits are fashioned to be distinctive and snappy without being loud. Such clothes for $50.00 would be customary—but for $35.00—and with 2 pairs of trousers, that's another tune. Yet I am selling them in all of spring's newest patterns.

A BLUE SERGE SPECIAL

Four bolts left of a medium weight, all wool, guaranteed fast color, dark blue, fine weave blue serge go on sale today. This serge is made by the American Woolen Co. and is the quality of serge that has been selling around $50.00 for a suit only a few short months back.

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16 VILLA RAIDERS ACQUITTED OF MURDER

DEMING, N. M., April 29.—Sixteen Mexicans were acquitted here yesterday on charges of murder in connection with the raids on Columbus, N. M., in 1916, by Villa's rebel troops. The verdict was reached on the first ballot after the jury had deliberated for 35 minutes.

There still are five indictments against Mexican prisoners charging murder in connection with the raid but these will be dismissed, District Attorney Foreste Fielder stated following the verdict.

The prisoners are being held pending dismissal of the indictments, but will be released within a few days and conducted to the border, Mr. Fielder announced.

MURDERER EXECUTED

OSSINING, N. Y., April 29.—James L. Odell, aged 24 years, of Rochester, N. Y., was put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison last night for the murder of Edward H. Kneip, on Jan. 7, 1920.

In 1913, more than 3,000,000 peasants in France cultivated land which was their own property.

NEEDLECRAFT SHOP OPENING

The formal opening of the Needlecraft Shop was held at their new location, 100 Merrimack street, today and among the large attendance were many friends that the shop made at its old location in Middle and Palmer streets.

Miss Alice Phaneuf, the proprietor, spared no expense nor time to make her new needlecraft shop the best of its line and she created an atmosphere of a studio, rather than one of ordinary, everyday business. The color scheme consists of a background of pearl gray with draperies of blue and the color is carried out in the show cases and furniture. In opposite corners there are light wicker chairs and tables where patrons may wait for their friends or spend a few minutes in resting and looking through the needlecraft literature. In the entrance there are ferns and baskets of flowers prettily arranged add to the attractiveness of the very artistic arrangements.

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Leg of Lamb, lb. ..... 28¢	Best Pastry Flour, bag, $1.20
Smoked Shoulder, lb. ..... 15¢	Fresh Cheese, lb. ..... 30¢
Fresh Shoulder, lb. ..... 17¢	Good Butter, lb. ..... 38¢
Salt Pork, lb. ... 12¢ and 15¢	Best Tea, lb. ..... 35¢
Chicago Rump, lb. ..... 18¢	Good Coffee, lb. ..... 25¢
Pure Lard, lb. ..... 12½¢	Potatoes, peck ..... 20¢
Best Compound, lb. ..... 10¢	New Cabbage, lb. ..... 5¢
Roast Beef, lb., 15¢ and 18¢	Rhubarb, lb. ..... 6¢
Fresh Fish of All Kinds	Strawberries, basket ..... 22¢
Best Fresh Eggs, doz. ..... 45¢	Celery, bunch ..... 30¢

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Lowell Public Market

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Short Lean Loins, lb. 23c	2nd Rib Roast, lb. 22c
Leg and Loin, lb. 28c	1st Rib Roast, lb. 25c
Short Legs, lb. 33c	Sirloin Roast, lb. 39c
Native Milk Fed Veal	**Fatted Fowl and Chickens**
Forequarters, lb. 8c	Fowl, 5-lb. average, lb. 49c
Short Legs, lb. 25c	Chicken, 5-lb. ave., lb. 52c
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MRS. OUELLETTE DEAD

One Time Heaviest Woman in the World Dies in Tewksbury

Mrs. Thomas Ouellette, nee Flavie Mahoney, at one time reputed to be the heaviest woman in the world, died last night at the state infirmary in Tewksbury after an illness of several months' duration. Deceased, who was 56 years, 7 months and 2 days old, leaves to mourn her loss four sons, Thomas, of Central Falls, R. I., Louis, of Panama, Charles of Baltimore, Md.,

MRS. FLAVIE OUELLETTE

and Emile of Dover, N. H. and two daughters, Mrs. Cecile Gasse and Mrs. Alice Jones, both of this city. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Joseph Albert in Aiken street.

Mrs. Ouellette was born at St. Anne des Monts, County Gaspe, Quebec, and was one of a family of 18 children. At the age of 17 she married Thomas Ouellette. Seven children were born to the couple. At the age of 50 Mrs. Ouellette weighed 680 pounds and at that time was proclaimed the heaviest woman in the world.

A few years ago Mrs. Ouellette travelled in the show business and visited nearly every state in the Union. She received many offers to go abroad, but preferred to remain within reaching distance of her children. Mrs. Ouellette, barring an occasional slight attack of rheumatism, enjoyed good health and was able to do her own housework up to the time she was taken sick a few months ago.

FOR THE POSTMASTERS

Some Form of Examination Under Civil Service Will Be Required

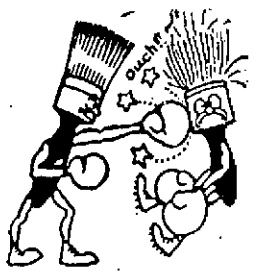
(Special to The Sun.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 29.—Although the new regulations regarding appointment of postmasters has not yet been officially made known, there is reason to believe Postmaster General Hays will immediately recommend a modified civil service order containing some changes from the Wilson executive order.

It seems to be unquestioned here that some sort of an examination will be required from persons desiring postmasterships and that such examination will be supplemented by investigation in the locality where the applicants live. There is strong reason to believe that after examinations have been taken the names of the three highest in rating will be submitted for nomination on one basis. That is their rating will not be marked as first, second and third, but all will be given the same standing, designated simply as the three highest. From that list the president will select any one of the three he may choose. Many congressmen prefer not to be consulted in that selection, but it seems to be pretty well understood that the opportunity of congressional recommendation will be offered every congressman, and the list of the three highest will be submitted to him, before a final selection is made. The idea prevails that present incumbents will be required to submit to such examination if they desire to hold in office till their terms expire. This will probably apply to all offices over $2200 annually, according to the very best available information.

RICHARDS.

One of the most valuable stamps is the one-cent postage stamp of British Guiana, which is worth over $10,000.



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63 MARKET ST.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING

The semi-annual meeting of the French-American Historical society will be held at the Boston City club Tuesday, May 3, and the principal speaker will be Henri Guy, dean of the faculty of letters of the University of Toulouse in France, who is now engaged in giving courses in French literature at Harvard university. Mr. Guy will speak on "Americans in Central France in the Spring of 1919." The meeting will be presided over by President Armand Bedard, M.D., of Lynn, and it is expected that the following Lowell members of the society will attend: J. H. Guillet, treasurer; L. P. Turcotte, councillor; Arthur L. Eno, Roderick E. Jodoin, Dr. D. S. Bellehumeur, Paul Vigeant, William A. Parthenais, J. A. N. Chretien and Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I.

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Fresh RHUBARB Lb. 5¢

FRESH STRAWBERRIES—Box 30¢

FRESH DANDELIONS—Peck 20¢

BEST POTATOES—Peck 20¢

NEW POTATOES, TOMATOES, NATIVE ASPARAGUS

THE MAGNET OF MIDDLESEX STREET

Liquor Cases in Court

Continued

the ostensible sale of soft drinks. His Honor was informed that, while Sullivan's store has acquired a bad reputation with the police, its repute was achieved while under another management. Nevertheless, Judge Enright declared, people who take such places encourage others to go there. Deputy Downey was urged by the court to notify the owner of the building, under the new law, of the conviction obtained in a matter relating to a liquor violation on his premises. Under the law the owner of real estate can be held liable under certain circumstances for violations of the liquor law by tenants.

Charles Pelletier pleaded guilty to illegal keeping at his Moody street near-beer emporium, and paid the $100 which was imposed upon him. James Morin, who conducts a similar resort on Suffolk street, while pleading guilty to illegal keeping, appealed to the superior court when a $100 fine was levied. He furnished $300 bonds.

Daniel Brady was fined $10 for drunkenness, and advised to cease his visits to Lowell, where this morning he appeared to answer his third charge on this offence. The defendant, a resident of Waterville, N. H., was accorded a two weeks' extension to send the money to the probation officer, and he was warned that failure to do this would result in his being sent for. The case of Anthony Thomas, a soldier, was filed. He was arrested by Officer Garrity, and is wanted as a deserter from Fort Strong, where he will be taken. A $50 reward is due the local officer for apprehension of a deserter. Agnes Richards, who spent three months in jail since last November, had a suspended sentence to the state farm revoked. It is her fifth offence within a year. When last arrested she agreed to leave Lowell, and it was in consideration of this fact that she was granted a suspension.

A complicated chain of cases came up when Cornelius Reardon, John Donohue, Homer F. Bellmore and George Burney appeared on drunkenness charges. Police officers testified that Bellmore told them he had seen Burney going through the pockets of Reardon. Bellmore this morning denied that he had witnessed any such sight, and could not recall having informed the officers to that effect, although the latter testified that he was the least under the influence of any member of the quartet. Donohue, a Woburn resident, figured in the tangle as just plain drunk, and had nothing to tell in the matter besides having been with the group. Reardon stated that he had had $45, which was now mysteriously missing. It is his second offence. Burney, possessed of $55 when arrested, was certain that when he left the house in the morning he had all the money. The officers declared he has a reputation as a "roller," but he averred with emphasis that he "never rolled a man in his life." He also took issue with the officers when they spoke of him as not being inclined to labor. When the officers told of seeing him giving money to another man, he explained that "When people give me, I give them." He was then called to elucidate another point. It seems that he borrowed a dollar from Bellmore, and Judge Enright desired to know why, with $59 in his pockets, he sought an additional greenback. "Well, I just got it," he stated. "I asked him for it, and I got it." Burney was fined $15, and warned that another appearance would mean the state farm for a protracted stay.

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Beautiful Walnut Suite, 66-Inch Buffet, 54-Inch Table, Enclosed Serving Table, Large China Closet with Drawer and Chairs; value $600.00. Our price $490.00

Dining Table, 45-inch quartered oak, plank top, heavy base, 6-foot extension; value $40.00. Our price $29.75

Dining Chairs, solid oak, genuine leather slip seat; value $5.50. Our price $3.95

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PRESCOTT ST.

$200,000,000 KIDS PLAY IN PUBLIC PARK

Two hundred million dollars! That's the sum the Swift and Armour families are said to control. And here are the children who will inherit the wealth of the Chicago packers some day. They were snapped at play in Lincoln park. Left to right: Jane, Gustavas, Geraldine and Marie Swift and P. D. Armour IV and his sister Gwendoline.

NORTH BILLERICA NEWS

Annual Prize Rewards by Talbot Mills for Best Kept Gardens

The annual prize competition for the best kept premises, vines, window and porch boxes, flower and vegetable gardens of the Talbot Mills Co. of North Billerica will be open to all persons living in the company houses this year and no entries will be required for the judge will visit the premises of all the company's dwelling houses several times during the season. The rules for the contest which are as follows are contained in a statement issued by President Frederic S. Clark of the company:

1—No nails or screws to be used on exterior of houses. The company will supply and put up, without charge, trellises for vines and boxes for windows and porches and supply soil for the boxes on application made to the repair shop before May 1.

2—Tenants on all streets to plant between and around the houses, but not over three feet in front of them, in order that there may be an unbroken lawn effect for the whole street.

The continued interest of our employes in their garden and window boxes was made so evident by the good work of last season that we want to encourage a special effort to greatly improve and extend the work and make our village a notably attractive one. We would like to have our employes and their children make plans, sketches, or models of their gardens or of such garden features as bird basins and sun dials, and for training fruit trees on trellises. To aid in this effort, we have arranged with Warren H. Manning to advise our employes, either directly or through Norris Millbury. Mr. Manning will also act as a judge.

Richard Kidder, the local florist, will also give advice at his greenhouses, on the selection and growing of plants and preparation of soil.

Employes can secure an illustrated pamphlet on vegetable gardens, free of cost, by sending a request for Farmers' Bulletin, No. 936, to the division of publications, United States department of agriculture, Washington, D. C., and another pamphlet from the same source on diseases and insect enemies of the garden by sending for Bulletin No. 856. The Massachusetts department of agriculture also has bulletins on many subjects that will be supplied on request, without charge.

The following prizes are offered:

Class 1—Best kept premises front and rear. Points to be considered: Condition of lawn, paths and backyards, including freedom from weeds and general neatness of grounds and exterior of house. Wherever there is a strip of sidewalk turf, it will be considered as part of the lawn. Five prizes, $10, $5, $4, $3 and $2.

Class 2—Vines, on houses, porches, arbors, trolley or other posts in front or rear of premises. Five prizes, $5, $4, $3, $2 and $1.

Class 3—Window and porch boxes: Plant arrangement and training, color harmony and the relation of the planting under and about the box are to be considered. Five prizes, $5, $4, $3, $2 and $1.

Class 4—Flower gardens: Design, arrangement and color harmony will be considered as well as variety and quality of flowers and freedom from weeds. Five prizes, $5, $4, $3, $2 and $1.

Class 5—Vegetable gardens: Points to be considered: Selection of varieties, freedom from fungus and insect enemies and from weeds, also general excellence of maintenance. Five prizes, $5, $4, $3, $2 and $1.

In addition to the money prizes offered, the winners of the first and second prizes in each class will be allowed a choice from a list of books and magazines on gardening in its various branches.

Free use of lawn mowers may be secured by applying at the repair shop.

Tenants are requested to prevent, at all seasons of the year, the drawing of carts on the lawns, for the delivery of coal, wood, etc.

Tenants are requested to use the iron barrels for ashes, swill and refuse, also to see that they are kept covered. The company's teams will empty them.

The company will plow and fertilize land for vegetable gardens. Applications for lots not exceeding one-quarter acre may be made to Joseph F. Talbot at the office.

SONS OF VETERANS

A regular meeting of Admiral Farragut auxiliary, Sons of Veterans, was held last evening in Memorial hall. Supper was served and later a business session was held during which plans were made for an entertainment and dance in the near future. The auxiliary was made the recipient of a large and handsome Bible, the gift being from Annie E. Lawson. Routine business was transacted and entertainment numbers were given.

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Slice tomatoes nearly to the stem and press slightly open. Insert between the divisions, and there should be several, alternate slices of cucumber and onion. Serve with French dressing.

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Evans' Triple Phosphates comes in small tablet form; a ten days' treatment in each box, and one month's treatment is guaranteed to increase your weight at least several pounds, and in ten days make you feel like a new being, full of ambition, vigor and a desire to accomplish things. Fred Howard and all good druggists have agreed to supply Evans' Triple Phosphates and guarantee it to do just what is claimed for it, or money refunded.

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Fall River Man Was Ready to Quit Job When He Got Tanlac—Gains 23 Pounds

"There's no mistake about it. This Tanlac hasn't an equal when it comes to building a man up and making him feel fine all the time," said William Dumont, 80 Lafayette street, Fall River, thread twister for the New England Thread Co.

"For two years I had been going down hill fast on account of stomach trouble. I lost my appetite and everything, even milk and soft boiled eggs disagreed with me. I lost weight and strength right along and began to fear my working days were over. Sometimes I didn't get a wink of sleep all night long and would drag myself off to work in the morning feeling tired and would be miserable all day. I got no pleasure out of life and was ready to give up and quit.

"It was lucky for me that I got Tanlac as it put me on the road to health. Today I feel like a different man, eat anything I please and nothing gives me indigestion. I sleep as soundly as a school boy, jump out of bed in the morning feeling fine and march off to work whistling. I never worked as well in my life as I do now and it's all because of what Tanlac did for me. I have gained 23 pounds in weight, too, and I don't look like I had ever known a sick day. Tanlac is the only medicine for me."

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WANTS ARBITRATION

Home Rule Committee Sends Resolution to Street Railway Trustees

The local street railway home rule committee adopted a resolution, calling upon the public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts road to submit the differences existing between them and the employes to a board of arbitration of three members, at its regular meeting late yesterday afternoon in city hall.

The resolution, presented by Secretary John B. Curtin and unanimously adopted, stated that the employes of the road are desirous of having the differences between them and the trustees placed before an arbitration board of three members, one to be selected by the trustees, one by the employes and the third to be named by both. It stated that the home rule committee deemed it advisable for all parties concerned and for the interest of the public to submit the differences to a board of arbitration. It was also resolved that the secretary be instructed to send a copy of the resolution to the trustees.

In introducing his resolution, Secretary Curtin said that the employes of the road had frequently stated that they do not want a strike and that Lowell has been very fortunate in being free from an undesirable element. The local labor organizations, he added, have co-operated in keeping this undesirable element out of the city. He said the municipal council had acted on the pending situation and he thought the home rule committee should also take some action.

He said that the adoption of the resolution would in no way interfere with the action of the council. The council was to deal with the governor while the committee's resolution was addressed directly to the trustees. It does not take sides, he said, but merely seeks to bring about an amicable settlement.

Chairman John E. Sullivan felt that a copy of the resolutions should be sent to Governor Cox, to be presented by the mayor and council when they confer with that official. It was so voted.

Rev. Mr. Matthews asked if it were true that preparations are being made to house and feed strike-breakers in Lowell.

Supt. Vard B. Leavitt, of the Lowell district, said that such was the case; that the company is preparing for the worst, but hoping for the best.

"I don't feel that that's a good move at all," said Rev. Mr. Matthews. "I don't think it's wise. That action is enough to kindle into flame any sparks in the breasts of full-blooded Americans. We're not preparing for Huns, are we? There is strength enough in our civil authorities to handle the matter. We've had no trouble in previous strikes here, no bloodshed, and I don't think there's been any retrogression of the peaceful spirit of our citizens."

Rev. Mr. Matthews then asked if the moving of the construction work of the company which has been done in this city was a permanent thing, if the work would always be done in Chelsea.

Supt. Leavitt replied that it would be permanent. He said that the company had planned the move for two months and that such work had been done in Chelsea for years. The company claimed that it could do it more cheaply in Chelsea than here.

Chairman Sullivan and Rev. Mr. Matthews spoke about the nerve-racking work of the operators of one-man cars. They felt that the wages of such men should not be reduced. "There ought to be a stronger public conception of the importance of their work," said Mr. Matthews. He believed that any wage reduction should [illegible] employes, the high-salaried men as well as others.

Mr. Molloy and Mr. Matthews discussed this matter at length and it was 5.10 when the committee adjourned.

Present at the meeting were Messrs. Sullivan, Curtin, Matthews and Molloy, together with Supt. Leavitt. Mr. Purfee came in toward the close of the meeting. Manager Thomas Lees was unable to attend owing to the pressure of other engagements.

EXAMINATIONS AT CITY HALL

Beginning next week, examinations for operators' and chauffeurs' licenses in Lowell will be held at city hall every Tuesday and Saturday (holidays excepted), at 9.30 a. m. Applicants should report to the examiners in the basement of city hall, Merrimack street entrance, at the specified time. They must have an application blank properly filled out and must take the test in a machine furnished by the [illegible] and in good running order. [illegible] few months the examinations have been held at the [illegible] quarters in Dutton street, but [illegible] the closing of those rooms the [illegible] have decided to return to city hall.

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VICE PRESIDENT COOLIDGE SPEAKS

Says Hope of World Lies in "Sturdy, Hard Working, Home Loving American"

Delivers Address at Founders Day Celebration at Carnegie Institute

PITTSBURG, April 29.—The greatest hope of a stricken world lies in the "sturdy, hard working, home loving American," Vice President Coolidge declared here today in an address at the Founders day celebration at Carnegie Institute. He eulogized the late Andrew Carnegie, who established the institute, reviewed his accomplishments, and spoke of him as a "man who represented American ideals."

"The whole nation," asserted Mr. Coolidge, "the whole world, following out his plan can advance the cause of civilization. Under it the conditions of life have steadily grown better, there has been a wider and wider distribution of property, a higher and higher standard of education, a deeper and deeper appreciation of the obligation of self-sacrificing example."

Great as were Mr. Carnegie's benefactions in the development of the material and intellectual welfare of his fellowmen, the vice president continued, his greatest accomplishment lies in the addition he made to their moral force.

"The question of human welfare," he added, "is not an economic question. It is a moral question. There is no difficulty with the present advance of scientific knowledge in providing for the welfare of the race. The ability is not lacking even if no further advance were made in discovery and invention. The material and intellectual forces are sufficient. They could be much greater—must be made much greater, but the present deficiency is not there. It is the disposition—the moral force that is lacking. Men are not doing as well as they can with what they have. Our civilization perishes unless the great powers it has developed are directed by a greater moral force."

The philanthropist, declared Mr. Coolidge, put his trust not in force but in reason, and it was this "faculty which gave him a vision of world peace" and the "power to believe under some form in its ultimate accomplishments." The vice president said there are those who would discard Mr. Carnegie's plan of service to mankind and "substitute they know not what."

"They would turn from a certainty, tested by time, approved by experience, to some vague experiment," the speaker continued. "They point out imperfections for even Americans have not fully realized their ideals. There are imperfections. But the ideal is right. What our country needs is the moral power to hold to it.

"There are readjustments to be accomplished. There are sacrifices to be made. They cannot be evaded. They cannot be made vicariously. They must be made by all the people. It is no time for bickerings. We must go back to work in accordance with the best standard that the public can maintain but we must go back to work.

"That done, the rest will take care of itself. Beneath the wrangling, beneath the tumult is the sturdy, hard-working, home loving American. He decides things in this country and his decision stands. He has decided to cast his lot where Carnegie cast his. In that decision, made in his spirit, calm, courageous, final, lies the greatest hope of a stricken world."

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Bobby Bernard, who plays the principal role of "A Regular Guy" at the B. F. Keith theatre this week, is one of the hardest working comedians in vaudeville. No man is more painstaking in his work, and that is why the act shows such wonderful results. Slap dash comedy men are Russ Brown and Connie O'Donnell, who have a profiteering fun turn that is all life. Excellent taste is shown in the Melody Garden production. Five young women do some extraordinary instrumental work in this. Positively the best woman impersonator is Claudia Coleman, whose "types" are wonderfully well presented. Other acts on the bill are: Julia Rooney and Walter Clinton, dancers; Will & Blondy, gymnasts and Lawton, phenomenal juggler.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

There are two kinds of mystery photoplays, those that bore you and those that send the tingles up your spinal column. The Frank Lloyd production, "A Voice in the Dark," now showing at the Merrimack Square theatre, would keep a man infected with the sleeping sickness awake. It has pep and punch and all the other ingredients that make up the ideal mystery story. "A Voice in the Dark" is the play that kept New York thrilled for an entire season. The other feature of the current program is "Every Woman's Problem," starring Dorothy Davenport (Mrs. Wallace Reid.) This is an interesting picturization of the difficulties which confront the average woman of today. A comedy and the International News round out the bill.

RIALTO THEATRE

Charles Ray in the role of Ezra, the village schoolboy, forms the attraction of James Whitcomb Riley's poem, "The Old Swimmin' Hole," showing at the Rialto theatre this week end. The story is told with all the flourishes of the original poem and has lost none of the freshness of the immortal lines. Ray rises to his greatest heights in the role of the village hero. Supporting the picture is Mary Miles Minter in "The Little Clown," a comedy, "Torchy Mixes In," an episode of "Fighting Fate" and the Fox News. Don't fail to see it.

OPERA HOUSE

If you want to laugh heartily and then gulp a bit at your throat out of sympathy for the same little girl, and then feel like patting her on the back and assuring her of your undivided support in her stand against rather discouraging odds, then don't miss seeing "That Girl Patsey" the bright and happy comedy drama by Sumner Nichols which is being given this week by the Lowell Players at the Opera House. You will love "Patsey" and everything she does, and eventually you will admire those who have been moved by her. Don't miss enjoying one of the best offerings of the season.

Next week the great police play, by Charles Klein, "The Third Degree," is to be given, with Milton Byron in the principal role.

THE STRAND

"Number 17," the picture drama founded on Louis Tracey's famous novel of the same title, featuring George Walsh in the stellar role, is winning genuine favor with the patrons at The Strand. It had a most successful run in other cities and is enjoying the same success here. Walsh has certainly increased his popularity by his excellent performance in the role of the young author who in protecting his sweetheart, becomes the enemy of a gang of criminals in New York's Chinatown.

Gladys Walton in "Rich Girl, Poor Girl" provides more real thrills than any photoplay that has been served locally in months. Don't miss it.

In India and Burmah the code still allows natives to be flogged for certain offenses.

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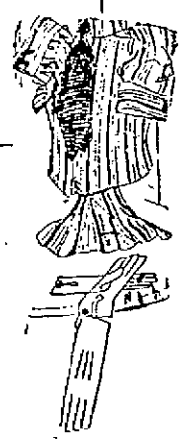

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PARLEY WITH SINN FEIN

Lloyd George's Invitation Result of Derby's Visit to Ireland

LONDON, April 29—Prime Minister Lloyd George concluded his speech in the house of commons yesterday on the Irish situation by reading from a document drawn up after consulting with Mr. Balfour, which is generally interpreted as having some connection with Lord Derby's recent visit to Ireland, in which the premier repeated his willingness to see any member of parliament not under suspicion of murder, without stipulating any conditions.

"If there is any man in Ireland who thinks he has a better plan than the government's and he comes with authority and presenting Irish opinion," said the premier, "I will meet him, and the government will meet him. He may make any proposal he likes; that will be his responsibility, and it will be the government's responsibility whether they accept or reject them."

Refuses to Put Off Elections

The prime minister declined to postpone the elections, because that would give the impression that parliament could not be trusted. To Ireland must be left the responsibility of accepting or rejecting.

Mr. Lloyd George challenged his critics to suggest any alternative policy to that of the government, except surrender, and he would not be thence, the government must persist responsible for a policy of surrender, in the policy of re-establishing the authority of the law, however long it took, just as did the United States in the fight against secession.

In an impassioned address, Sir Hamar Greenwood, the chief secretary of Ireland, described the Irish republican army as "murderers" and declared deeds were being perpetrated in Ireland which it was difficult for British civilians, the military or police to believe could be done by human hands.

For example, charged Sir Hamar, the murder of Protestants was in progress as a deliberate plan and there had been "a horrible case of the desecration of a Protestant church," while 15 Protestants had been murdered recently "without rhyme or reason and under revolting circumstances."

It was not, however, a case of Roman Catholics against Protestants, he said. There was also a deliberate plan to attack, intimidate and in some cases murder ex-service men.

The chief secretary said documents had been captured showing that an offensive was being opened in Ulster to interfere with the coming elections, the plans including possible action against the Belfast water supply, and other methods of sabotage.

In introducing the vote for the Irish office, e said the Sinn Fein threat to newspaper men had become more pronounced, and one of them had been obliged to leave the country under the threat of death.

Sir Hamar said the auxiliaries had a specific function which would be performed by no other force—a statement which brought ironical cheers from the opposition. He said the auxiliaries had to go into the most disturbed areas, and the order from Sinn Fein headquarters was to shoot them at night.

The government, Sir Hamar declared, declined to differentiate between the north and south of Ireland in applying the home rule act. He continued:

"We decline to have an act of parliament torn up by the intimidation of anybody in Ireland. We will have a parliament functioning in the north in June, and, we hope, the south will also.

"Everyone, except the extremists, wants peace. The obstructionists are those who refuse a conference with the government as to the best methods of securing accord between the two governments."

BOLSHEVIK DISCIPLINE

Compel Man Who Stole Food to Run Gauntlet Shouting "I'm a Thief"

TERIOJKI, Finland, April 29.—(The Associated Press.)—The 8000 refugees from the recent Kronstadt revolution in Russia who are quartered in Finnish concentration camps here and at Ino have just given a striking example of Bolshevik discipline.

The refugees are being fed by American Red Cross officers. The other day, one of them was caught by his fellows in the act of stealing a larger share of food than was due to him.

The others formed a committee, tried the man, found him guilty of stealing food, and then appeared before a Red Cross officer.

"Please give us enough guns to form a firing squad," they requested. "We have found a man stealing food and will execute him immediately."

Informed that this was Finland, and not Bolshevik Russia, the committee was momentarily disappointed.

"But he must be punished," they insisted.

"All right," said the officer, "but no shooting goes here."

The committee then made the thief strip, although the weather was bitterly cold, formed a long line in the woods, including about 150 men, and made the guilty man run 100 times from one end of the line to the other, shouting "I'm a thief."

Discipline in these refugee camps has been excellently maintained, through the orders of Stephen Petrichenko, the 29-year-old sailor who was president of Kronstadt and the leader of the revolt. Yet the Finnish authorities are much worried over their presence in Finland. The Kronstadt men, while opposed to the communists, are a bit too radical in their views to suit the Finnish authorities, who have a "red" problem at home for a long time.

This, and the fear that the American Red Cross cannot continue to feed them indefinitely, has caused Finland to consider various means of getting rid of these 8000 and the 25,000 other Russian refugees who are in the country. The government would like to have the League of Nations take them off its hands.

When the Kronstadt garrison arrived at Teriojki the men were half starved. Ten days of good American food changed their appearance wonderfully and some of them, unused to white bread and a diet containing a large proportion of fats, found it so rich that they were ill and their diet had to be reduced.

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PAINTERS OBJECT TO WAGE REDUCTIONS

A special meeting of members of Local 39, Painters' union was held last evening in Trades & Labor hall, Central street, with President William Lyons in the chair, for the purpose of discussing the 15 per cent. wage cut to take effect May 1, announced by the master painters last Wednesday. The proposed reduction was discussed and although no official announcement was made, it was reported that the sentiment of the men was emphatically for rejection. Further action on the question will be taken up by the grievance committee, which later will confer with the master painters and contractors. The painters are now receiving $1 an hour for their labor and if the proposed reduction goes into effect the pay will be 85 cents an hour.

SEARCH FOR WHISKEY-RUNNING SCHOONER

BALTIMORE, April 29.—Search for the whiskey-running schooner Palestine which last week landed a large liquor cargo at Hollowing Point, Md., assumed a new phase today when the prohibition enforcement authorities withdrew from the search for the vessel and her crew, and surrendered the entire case to the customs officials.

This step was taken in view of the fact that in her method of entry and clearance, the vessel violated customs laws and was also placed within the international classification as a pirate craft. These crimes are felonies while the mere violation of the Volstead act and prohibition amendment constitute only misdemeanors.

With the revenue cutter service and the coast guard co-operating in searching the Chesapeake Bay and all tributaries, Collector of the Port William P. Ryan has assumed entire jurisdiction.

It was stated that every governmental power within the departments assuming jurisdiction is being devoted to drawing a dragnet about any possible route over which the contraband whiskey may have been moved by the motor trucks which met the vessel when she landed.

SOFT SUEDES

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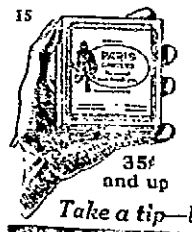

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Adventures of The Twins

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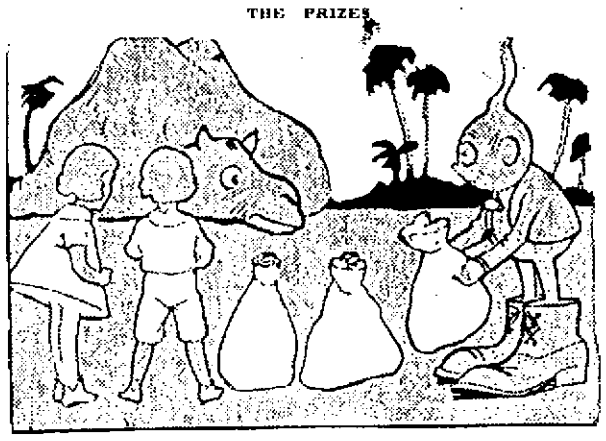

HE TOOK THREE BAGS OUT OF HIS SHOES AND LAID THEM IN A ROW ON THE GROUND

"You've got the pip, just as I feared!" declared Flippety-Flap to the camel. "Anyone who says he is never so comfortable as when he is uncomfortable needs to go in out of the sun. Come on, let's all go into the shade."

Caliph Camel was stubborn. "I don't want to," he insisted.

"Why not?" asked the fairyman.

"Just what I told you. I'd be too comfortable. I like to get sizzling hot. It feels so awful!"

Nobody had any reply to this silly speech.

"Don't you want to drink?" asked Nick, pointing to the water-pool.

"I had a drink last week," said Caliph, sulkily.

"But aren't you hungry?" wondered Nancy. "Here's some nice juicy grass, and if you like I'll climb a tree and get you some dates."

"Humph!" snorted the camel. "I ate last week, too. Besides, if I were hungry, there are whole bunches of camel-thorn growing out here in the sand. I can eat it."

"But do you like it? It looks so prickly."

"No, of course I don't like it; that's why I eat it. I eat enough to last for days. I've got two storage boxes on my back, as you may notice, that folks call humps. Indeed, it would be queer if you hadn't noticed, as they stick out as plainly as the ears on a rabbit. That's what humps are—storage boxes for forty dinners."

"Then I don't suppose we can coax you to go back?" said Nick sadly. "But it's no circus without a camel and we hoped you'd come."

"Thanks for askin'," replied Caliph Camel.

All this while Flippety-Flap had been busy. He took three bags out of his enormous shoes and laid them in a row on the ground.

"What's that?" asked the camel.

"These are the prizes!" answered Flippety-Flap, mysteriously.

(To Be Continued)

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THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF APREMONT DAY

WESTFIELD, April 29—Far scattered members of the old 104th infantry, 26th division, A.E.F., returned yesterday for their second reunion and the third anniversary of Apremont day, commemorative of that day in 1918, when on the field in recognition of bravery in battle, the French government bestowed upon the regimental colors the Croix de Guerre. Yesterday's celebration centered around the unveiling and dedication of a boulder of granite bearing a bronze tablet memorializing that event and with a certain fitness took place at Hampton Plains, the site of Camp Bartlett. It was here that, with the old Second regiment, M.V.M., as a nucleus, the 104th infantry was organized and received its preliminary training preparatory to departure overseas. Gov. Channing H. Cox delivered the dedicatory address.

The tablet was presented in behalf of the veterans by Maj. Gen. W. C. Hays, first commander of the 104th, and was accepted by Mayor Geo. W. Searle of Westfield.

Gov. Cox told briefly of the formation of the regiment, its departure and training abroad for its part in the conflict, and then of the three days' fight at Apremont. That proved, he said, that the Yankees of 1918 were built of the same stuff and had the same spirit as the Yankees of 1775 and 1861.

"You have done much. You have helped to make us love more deeply the commonwealth and the country which you served with devotion. Because you have shown capacity for service, because you have shown power of leadership, may Apremont day be always one of reconsecration to duty, to rededication to the great needs of the time, a day when you may lead us in resolving anew to do our part worthily, to do our fair share of the day's work, to the end that the civilization which you helped to preserve may endure and that the America which you served in war may in the days of peace be powerful and mighty as the defender of justice, liberty and righteousness."

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WORKMEN BLACKJACKED

Alleged System of Slugging Revealed at Trial of Union Men in Chicago

CHICAGO, April 29.—Details of an alleged system of slugging through which it is charged officials of the Upholsterers' union forced workers to obey their orders, were related yesterday by Sam Fisher, self-styled slugger, at the trial of 14 members of the union for acts of violence during the strike from August, 1919, to April, 1920.

Fisher, who during the two previous days of his testimony gave a list of prices which he said were paid sluggers by the union, yesterday declared that he had been ordered to cripple men who refused to obey orders so that they could not work.

"I remember one non-union man, another fellow and myself were ordered to slug," he said. "We hit him on the head with a blackjack—you could hear his skull pop half a block away. Then my companion kicked him until there was no chance he would be able to work.

"Frequently we were ordered to put a man out of business. We would beat him up and then crack his knuckles with an iron rod so that he could not work.

"Edwin E. Graves, international president of the union, told me one day to get a certain man and to 'get him right.' We cracked him on the head. I was afraid we had killed him. I ran down stairs to Graves and told him I thought we had killed the man.

" 'Don't worry about that,' said Graves, 'all you have to worry about is your money; here it is.' "

Graves is one of the men on trial.

HOUSE PASSES NAVAL APPROPRIATION BILL

WASHINGTON, April 29.—With every amendment relating to disarmament thrown out, the naval appropriation bill, carrying a total of $396,000,000, was passed yesterday by the house, 212 to 15. There was not enough opposition to demand a record vote.

Immediately after the measure was made ready for the senate the army appropriation bill, carrying $331,000,000, passed last session but vetoed was taken up.

The navy bill went through the house in the same form as originally passed but there were indications of a fight on the army budget because of an increase in the enlisted force from 156,000 to 165,000.

A parliamentary trick play and a quick move by Rep. Walsh, republican, Massachusetts, in the chair, cut off two hours of debate on an amendment by Rep. Connally, democrat, Texas, providing that no part of the appropriation for warship building should be expended until the president had called an international disarmament conference. The amendment was put to a vote and defeated in a veritable shout of noes.

But it did not stop the friends of armament limitation, who presented the same question in different textural dresses, but almost as fast as presented they were ruled out on points of order.

The clash of the day was precipitated by Rep. Byrnes, democrat, South Carolina, who sought to ascertain the real cause of postponing a hearing by the foreign affairs committee on a disarmament resolution, at which Secretary Hughes had been invited to outline the views of the administration. Mr. Byrnes did not get very far with his inquiry.

During the debate the hope was expressed by Republican Leader Mondell that a conference of the nations would be called before the close of the present session of congress.

BOSTON ELEVATED MEN ACCEPT WAGE CUT

BOSTON, April 29.—The carmen employed by the Boston Elevated Street Railway without a dissenting vote last night accepted a wage reduction effective July 1 of about 7 per cent for motormen and conductors and about 10 per cent for other workers. Nearly 10,000 men are employed by the company.

The meeting hall was packed when the new proposal of the public trustees of the system was submitted for approval. It is to take the place of the agreement between the road's operators and workers which expired June 30.

Following the union's vote to accept the wage cut, its conference committee was instructed to seek a meeting with the road management as soon as possible to sign the new agreement, which in all respects except wages will be the same as that now in force.

Submission of the new agreement by the trustees was in accordance with the present contract with the union which calls for 60 days' notice before any change could be made.

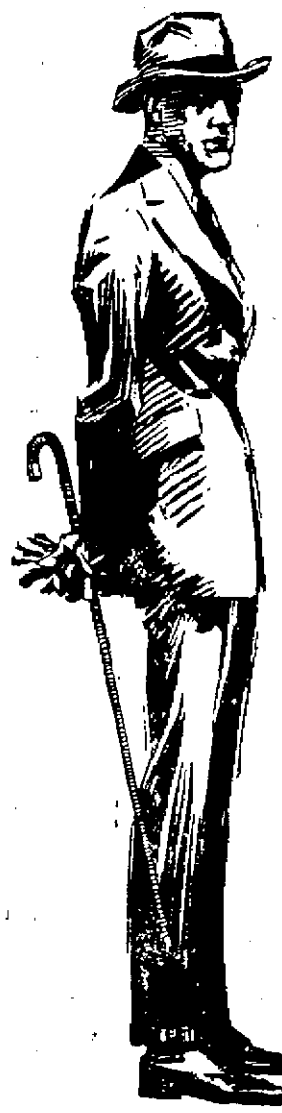
While accepting the wage reduction for themselves, the union of carmen of the Boston Elevated voted to go on record as supporting the carmen of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway in any action they may be "forced to take in their dispute" with the operators of that system.

AMERICAN, HELD BY REDS, APPEALS TO U. S.

RIGA, April 29.—(By the Associated Press)—Capt. Emmet Kilpatrick, American Red Cross worker, captured by the Bolsheviki in the Crimea last October, has sent an appeal to the government in Washington to procure his release from the prison camp in Russia where he is now confined.

The appeal was brought out of Russia by Captain Marion C. Cooper, an American, who escaped from a soviet prison and reached Riga a few days ago.

In his appeal, which is being forwarded to the United States, Capt. Kilpatrick sets forth that he is being held prisoner against all the principles of international law as he was a noncombatant Red Cross officer many miles behind the front when captured.



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In the three cases of Barry vs. Welcome, tried at one time, a jury in the superior court has returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiffs. The cases grew out of an accident in 1919 on the Tyngsboro boulevard in which an automobile owned by Ashley Welcome struck Mrs. Nettie L. Barry of Dunstable road, Chelmsford, while she was walking along the highway wheeling a baby carriage. Mrs. Barry is given a verdict of $1200 for personal injuries, and her husband is awarded $200 for expenses incurred as a result of the accident. To Catherine Barry, the young child in the baby carriage at the time Mrs. Barry was struck, is awarded $1.

Trial was continued today in the superior court of the cases of James H. Harris of Laconia, N. H., formerly of Boston, against Dora A. Chase and Albert E. Brown of Lowell. The cases are being tried jointly. Mr. Harris is suing to recover for personal injuries alleged to have been received when an automobile belonging to Albert E. Brown, and operated by his sister, Dora A. Chase, collided with a motorcycle belonging to the plaintiff, near the junction of Nashua and Dunstable roads in North Chelmsford, May 31, 1920.

DROP STITCH

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ALLEGED SPY IS RELEASED

NEW YORK, April 29.—Hermann Wessels, alias Carl Rodiger, former second officer of the steamship Imperator, who had been under arrest since the spring of 1918 on charges of espionage and treason, yesterday was discharged from $5000 bail by Federal Judge Chatfield. This action was taken, the judge said, at the request of Attorney General Daugherty.

Wessels' attorney construed the court's action as automatically releasing their client from further prosecution under the charges that had been made against him. His present whereabouts is unknown.

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	Won	Los	Pct.
Cleveland	10	4	71.4
Washington	9	4	69.2
New York	5	5	50.0
Boston	5	5	50.0
St. Louis	5	6	45.5
Chicago	3	5	37.5
Detroit	4	7	36.4
Philadelphia	3	8	27.3

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Boston 6, Philadelphia 2.
New York 9, Washington 5.
Cleveland 15, Detroit 5.
Chicago-St. Louis, wet grounds.

GAMES TOMORROW

New York at Boston.
Cleveland at Chicago.
St. Louis at Detroit.
Washington at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	10	3	76.9
Brooklyn	9	5	64.3
Chicago	6	4	60.0
New York	6	6	50.0
Boston	6	8	42.9
Cincinnati	6	8	42.9
Philadelphia	5	7	41.7
St. Louis	1	8	11.1

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Philadelphia 11, Boston 6.
Brooklyn 2, New York 1.
Cincinnati-St. Louis—Rain.

GAMES TOMORROW

Boston at New York.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

AVILA TURNS TABLES

Lowell Boy in Great Form and Gets Award Over Gibbs in Thrilling Bout

Johnny "Young" Avila of Lowell turned the tables on his rival, Woonsocket Joe Gibbs, in a sensational 10 round bout before a fair sized crowd at the Crescent A.A. last night. The bout went the distance at a bewildering clip, with Avila clearly outclassing his opponent and the decision in his favor was vigorously applauded.

Two weeks ago Avila and Gibbs met at the local club and in a slashing bout Gibbs was awarded the decision. He earned the award but his margin of victory was close, very close. Last night, Avila showed vast improvement and he fought a brilliant battle. He took the lead at the outset, getting the jump on his opponent in the first round, and he never relinquished his advantage or let up in his vigorous attack. Gibbs, gamester that he is, fought back and proved dangerous all the way. Gibbs is a rugged and shifty performer, and employed all his cunning in a futile effort to halt the local boys' onslaught. Gibbs did much fine blocking and stopped many of Avila's vicious body blows with his arms. But Avila would not be denied and tore into his opponent and maintained a terrific bombardment over the entire journey. At in-fighting Gibbs was at his best and he sent over many good blows while on the inside. At times the boys stood together and exchanged rapid fire counters, and once in the ninth round they were locked in a furious exchange and continued after the bell, being pried apart by Referee Flaherty. The ninth and the sixth were the feature rounds of the battle, but all others were replete with action and artistic work. Several times during the bout Avila threw off his opponent and sent him to the floor, but the elusive Gibbs was on his feet in a second to resume activities. In the sixth both went down, Avila falling first with Gibbs rolling over him. They were up in an instant.

In the first round Gibbs went to the floor claiming a foul, but Referee Flaherty refused to allow it.

Gibbs was quick to arise and he went after his man like a tiger. Avila met him at his game, and worked a left jab to the face, with short rights to the body, that gave him the advantage in the round. Avila continued his aggressiveness in the second and again had the edge. In the third Avila opened up a fine attack and in one of the clinches threw Gibbs to the floor. He bounced up like a rubber ball and closed in. Avila refused to let him hold, and after shaking him off rained blows to head and body with machine-like precision. He had the round. The fourth was well contested, with both showing good form and Gibbs coming a little stronger. In the fifth Gibbs was at his best. He engaged in some clever dumpling jack stunts, lurching forward and reaching his objective several times. Avila remained on the defensive most of this round. But as the sixth opened Avila rushed at his opponent and landed some terrific lefts to the head. While battling in a clinch the pair began wrestling, and Avila went to the floor with Gibbs on top of him. They rolled over and got up instantly and resumed the fast gait. Near the end of the round Avila caught Gibbs flush on the mouth, displacing the latter's tooth protector. This round was another for Avila. In the eighth Gibbs rallied, but Avila refused to let his opponent take the lead. The ninth was a wonderfully fast round, with both giving and taking heavy punishment. The 10th was a hummer, with both trying hard to get over a haymaker. The pair battered away right up to the final bell. The decision to Avila was vigorously applauded, while Gibbs, too, got a great hand as he stepped from the ring.

Jimmy Demas won from "Bricky" Claven in the first bout of eight rounds. The second bout was a peppery one between Happy Conley and Young Sallee. It was crowded with action with honors fairly even until the sixth, when Conley got his wallop working advantageously. He started off the round with a fierce attack and he continued his efforts until he finally sent Sallee to the floor, where he remained until a towel, signifying defeat, came from his corner.

VISCOUNT ASTOR'S HORSE WINS CLASSIC RACE

NEWMARKET, England, April 29. (By the Associated Press.)—The 2000 guineas, the classic race for colts and fillies, run here today, was won by Viscount Astor's Craig An Eran.

Joseph Watson's Lemonora was second. Twenty-six horses ran.

The 1000 guineas, also run today, was won by W. Raphael's Bettina. William Clark's Petrea was second, and Viscount Astor's Pompadour third.

Twenty-four horses ran in this race, which is for three-year-old fillies. It was run over the Rowley mile, as was the 2000 guineas event which preceded it.

TO HONOR MANAGER EVERS

PITTSBURGH, April 29.—Johnny Evers, manager of the Chicago club of the National league, which makes its initial appearance at Forbes field against the Pirates today, will be entertained at a luncheon by 24 overseas secretaries of the Knights of Columbus in this district at noon today.

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CRESCENT ALLEYS

BIG RELAY CARNIVAL AT FRANKLIN FIELD, PHILA.

PHILADELPHIA, April 29.—The 27th annual relay carnival of the University of Pennsylvania opened at Franklin field today with the longest entry list in its history and with an international setting given by the presence of several events of the team from the combined universities of France.

Not only were the athletes more numerous than ever before, but among them were probably the greatest number of champions ever brought together at an American athletic meet. Virtually all the leading universities, colleges and schools in the country were represented in one or more of the 77 events on the two days' program. Individually, there were about 2500 men and boys entered.

The opening day's program comprised 31 events, mostly for school boys. Notable exceptions, included the sprint and distance medley relays, two mile race, 440 yards low hurdles and the pentathlon, in all of which stars from the big colleges and universities matched speed and stamina.

Because of the participation of the French team in the sprint medley, interest centered in that race. Two of the Frenchmen are champions in their country, Fery holding the 400 metres title, and Scurin the 200 metres, while a third, Delvart, is holder of the world's 500 metres record. Biget, the fourth member, is a fast quarter miler. The Frenchmen will meet strong opposition in Pennsylvania, winner of the event last year.

Great interest also was shown in the distance medley relay and the two-mile race. In the former the entries included the naval academy, competing in a track meet for the first time away from home, Yale, Illinois and Iowa State. Contestants in the two-mile event, including Nightingale, last year's winner, Romig, Penn State, intercollegiate cross country champion; Buker of Bates, New England two mile and cross country title holder; Furnas of Purdue, western cross country champion; Wharton, Illinois, two-mile western champion, and Head, the speedy Pennsylvania distance runner.

CHELMSFORD HIGH SCHOOL MEET

Students of the Chelmsford high school held a keenly contested interclass track meet on the school grounds yesterday and after a series of exciting events the sophomores were declared victors with a total of 53 9-10 points. The juniors scored 45 9-10 points, the seniors, 44 1-5 points and the freshmen 10 points. The sophomore girls' basketball team defeated the freshmen, 16 to 8. Results of the various events were as follows:

Boys' sports: 75-yard dash, won by McPhillips, '21; second, Farrington '23; third, Peterson, '21; fourth, Kinch '23.

Running broad jump, won by Farrington, '23; second, Miller, '22; tie for third and fourth, Cole, '21, Parker '22. Distance, 15 feet, 10 inches.

Shot-put, 12-pound, won by Cole, '21; second, Miller, '22; third, Parker, '22; fourth, Ryam, '22. Distance, 33 feet, 7 inches.

Pole vault, tie for four places, Peterson, '21, Butterworth, '22, McMaster, '22; Johnson, '23, Farrington, '23. Height, 7 feet, 6 inches.

Relay race, won by seniors; second, juniors; third, sophomores; fourth, freshmen.

High jump, tie for first, second and third, Petrie, '22; Parker, '22; Miller, '22; fourth, Kinch, '23; Peterson, '23. Height, 4 feet, 6 inches.

Cross-country run, won by McPhillips, '21; second, Kinch, '23; third, Boyd, '22; fourth, Parker, '22.

Girls' sports: Relay race, won by sophomores; second, freshmen; third, juniors; fourth, seniors.

Sack race, won by McKennedy, '21; second, Allard, '23; third, Carlson, '22; fourth, McTeague, '23.

Potato race, won by Reno, '23; second, Smith, 23; third, Perkins, '24; fourth, McTeague, '23.

Three-legged race, won by Paignon and Dunnigan, '22; second, Reno and McTeague, 23; third, Allard and Smith, '23; fourth, Ellis and McTeague, 21.

50-yard dash, won by Reno, '23; second, McKennedy, '21; third, Ellis, '21; fourth, McTeague, 23.

SPORTING NOTES

Chick Evans will take his parents to England with him.

Babe Ruth's press agents are batting a thousand again and Babe himself is doing well.

Rookie pitchers in the big leagues are unable to curve the new balls as much as they did the old ones in the minors.

Students at Northwestern university will have to swim for their diplomas in future. It's a new athletic requirement.

Visiting clubs in the National league get 30 minutes for batting practice instead of 20 as in the past.

The outfielder of Lehigh university, who recently inherited $750,000, will never play ball for a living.

The New York Giants spent $5000 for baseballs in 1920. The fans are back in form this spring.

Georgia Tech has granted Bobby Jones a two months' leave of absence so he can compete in the English amateur golf championship matches.

Barnyard golfers at St. Paul are campaigning for daylight saving. They estimate that 5000 horseshoe pitchers would benefit.

Even Carpentier himself doesn't think Tex Rickard's Jersey City show will last over four rounds.

Propaganda for summer baseball for college players is rapidly being fanned into a blaze.

HAYDEN ROLLS 376 AND WINS PRIZE

Hayden with a three-string total of 376, won the daily prize in the tournament on the Crescent alleys yesterday. He also stands at the top of the column in the individual class, Flynn and King are setting the pace in the two-men competition. Hewson, Barnes and Austin maintain first place in the three-men class. The figures, including those of last night, follow:

Individual—Hayden, 376; Lynch, 359; Dr. Hewson, 334; Flynn, 352; King, 350.

Two-men—Flynn-King, 724; Dr. Horne-Dr. Hewson, 714; McQuade-Sullivan, 670; Harrell-O'Dea, 665.

Three-men—Dr. Hewson-Barnes-Curtin 1031; Jodoin-Flanders-King 1020, Lynch-Espinola-Whitlock 998.

Daily prize—Hayden 376. Weekly high single Dr. Hewson 151. Weekly three picked strings Dr. Hewson 421.

They'll Introduce the "Whisker Floater" to Yank Ball Fans

This is the advance guard of the California Camouflaged Wonders that arrived recently from India to enter the University of California and who, incidentally, will show America how whiskers are an aid to ball players. From left to right, they are: George Partap, pitcher; Charlie Dalip, catcher, and Eddie Achler, first baseman

BERKELEY, Cal., April 28.—The monopoly of a full-whiskered baseball team soon will no longer belong to the House of David team at Ann Arbor, Mich.

The fans of the country will be treated to the sight of chin decorated stars whirling around the bases, playing on Sunday, smoking cigarets, and doing a few other things the abstinence from which has made the Michigan stars famous.

The advance guard of the California Camouflaged Wonders arrived here recently from Khalsa college, India, to enter California university.

They intend to show America what can be done by a team with whiskers. They say they learned the value of camouflage during the war, and expect to reveal the great secret of success attained by the House of David.

George Partap, the greatest pitcher ever produced in India, has an original ball that fools them all. He simply rubs the ball on his whiskers enough to wear the smoothness off and then heaves it slowly. It does not twist, but simply floats. Pitching against the All-American team which visited India two years ago, George fanned 18 men.

Charlie Dalip, catcher and champion home run hitter, is the Babe Ruth of India. They had no fences in India until Charlie lost nearly all the balls in the country by hitting them into the jungle. They built a fence from the money saved by keeping the balls. He made 73 homers last season.

Eddie Achler, first baseman, can't understand why Americans get excited over Ty Cobb. He says he can treble Cobb's best stealing record.

The camouflaged stars say that after the big league managers have observed the advantage of whiskers, all the players with smooth chins will lose their jobs.

RUBE MAKES SURE HE'S MARRIED

This is the first picture of Rube Marquard's bride, formerly Miss Naomi Malone of Baltimore. Inset, Marquard, who is pitching for Cincinnati this year. After the first ceremony Rube found out that he would have to be married again because of legal technicalities growing out of his divorce last October from Blossom Seeley, actress.

BASEBALL SEASON WILL OPEN TOMORROW

If the weather man is at all favorably disposed, Lowell's 1921 baseball season will get under way tomorrow afternoon with games scheduled for practically every diamond in the city.

Up at the Textile school campus in Moody street, Lowell Textile will play its first home game with the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as opponens. Textile has played only one game this year, defeating Andover on April 16. Its games with Worcester Tech last Saturday was called off on account of the unfavorable weather. Tomorrow it will open a series of five consecutive games.

The City league is also scheduled to get under way tomorrow afternoon. The St. Columbas will meet the Unities, Sharfs Nobles the Oakleaves and the Celtics the Cardinals. Where each game will be played has not yet been definitely determined owing to the widespread demand for the use of the various diamonds tomorrow.

Lowell high school will journey to Manchester to meet the strong high school team of that city and the C.M. the K. of C. at Lawrence. Various by playing the Lawrence council of the K. of C. at the Lawrence. Various other amateur games are scheduled for tomorrow afternoon.

CHICK EVANS PLAYS PRES. HARDING

CHICAGO, April 29.—Charles Evans, Sr., and wife, parents of the well known amateur golf champion, left today for the east to join their son who leaves May 4 with the team of American golfers who invade England, in quest of the British laurels.

They received word that "Chick" had requested President Harding to play golf with him today and that the president had accepted. After the match with the president today, Evans and his parents plan to go to Bethlehem, Pa., for a short visit.

BALL GAME FOR IRISH RELIEF FUND

The bitter rivalry of olden days will be revived on the South common diamond tomorrow afternoon when Boland and Canney's South Ends and the Broadway club team will clash. As these clubs represent the north and south ends of the city, fans realize that a real red hot game is in prospect. The game has been arranged by Jack Condon, of the Irish relief committee, and the money collected will be turned over to the fund now being raised for sufferers in Ireland. As both of these teams are to be members of the Twilight league the fans will have their first opportunity to see them in a contest tomorrow. The South Ends will use practically the same lineup that played the Lawrence K. of C. on Patriots day. Manager Sheehy of the Broadways promises to have a strong lineup. Mr. Condon has selected John Coughlin to act as umpire.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Red Sox defeated the Bears by the score of 32 to 5. They would like to play any 11 or 12-year-old team in the city. Answer through this paper.

The Lone Scout Juniors would like to challenge any 10 to 12-year-old team in the city.

The Young Bunters defeated the Centralville Stars Thursday by the score of 8 to 4.

The Jolly Jockey Riders would like to hear from any 8 to 11-year-old team in this city, the Concord A.C. preferred. The game will be played on the Dixwells' grounds.

The Young Bunters would like to hear from any 9 to 12-year-old team in this city, the Young Summer A.C. or the Young Emeralds preferred. The game will be played on the Dixwells' grounds. It will be for two 35-cent balls a side. For all challenges call 3669-J and ask for Jim or answer through this paper.

The Washingtons would like to make it known that the result of their victory over the big Lincoln team was not due to the absence of the star first baseman nor the dumb plays made by the Lincolns. The Washingtons played rings around the Lincolns and were superior at bat. The fine pitching of Correia and good work of all the team were the features. "To the victor belongs the spoil," so no alibis. Lincolns. The scores of the other games do not indicate the way the Lincolns got the runs. They were helped along by the umpire. Signed by Manager John Innos.

The Centralville Stars will play the Young Emeralds Saturday morning at 10.30 for a 35-cent ball on the North common.

The St. Patrick's Seventh Grade Seconds added another victory to their list by defeating the Eighth Grade Seconds by the score of 15 to 14. A two-bagger by Coope in the last inning brought in the winning runs.

The Morey school, sixth grade, defeated the Lincolns sixth grade on Morey school grounds. Score 13 to 11. The winners are to play the Moody sixth grade on the South common Wednesday morning.

The Young Rovers are willing to play any 11 to 12 year old team in the city on the South common, Saturday at 2 o'clock. The lineup: Tony Picanso, catch; Frank Coler, pitch; Frank Sarum, 1st base; John Connors, short stop; Tony Mello, 2nd base; Jesse Coster, 3rd base; John P., right field; Frank M., center field; Americo M., left field; Manuel G., sub. Manager John C.; captain, Frank C. Telephone number 5743 between 5 and 7 o'clock.

If the Clinton A. C. think that they have a better team than the Pawtucket Stars, let them loosen up. The Stars are willing to play for $5.00 and two 50c balls a side. If accepted, see manager.

The Rainbows would like to challenge any 11 to 12 year old team in the city for a game Saturday afternoon. The Floyd A. C. preferred. Tel. 5541-R or meet P. McManus at corner of Prospect and Central sts. between 6.30 and 7.30 p. m. tonight.

KILBANE URGES NEW SCORING PLAN

(By Newspaper Enterprise)

CLEVELAND, April 29.—Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion of the world, advocates the idea that boxing bouts should be scored round by round.

"Let the ringsiders and the boxers know who is winning a sthe fight goes along," says Kilbane.

"They'll enjoy boxing a lot more if they know how the fight is going. The benefits would be mutual to both fans and fighters.

"If the referee announced at the end of each round which fighter won it, fans could mark it down on their

JOHNNY KILBANE

score cards. When the night was over they could add up the rounds each man won and they'd have the decision.

"Scoring fights round by round would help eliminate poor or crooked refereeing, too.

"A lot of fighters go along easy, being outpointed during the early rounds of a fight and then speed up the last few rounds to make an impressive grandstand finish.

"A referee who doesn't know his business will give the whirlwind finisher the decision in many cases when he didn't win the majority of the rounds.

"If the fighters knew at the end of each round which had won it they'd fight more and stall less.

"Fans should leave a boxing arena satisfied as to who won. There isn't any doubt in the minds of baseball fans as to who won when they leave the park. And that's what makes baseball one of the squarest games.

"Boxing will thrive on honesty and score cards just the same as baseball."

MODEL YOUTH

Wesley C. Brooker, of Lindstrom, Minn., has been awarded the Francis Burr scholarship at Harvard for highest scholarship, character, leadership and athletic ability. He was a captain in the war.

WHITE SOX MEET INDIANS

CHICAGO, April 29.—Having played out eight games in 22 days, the reorganized White Sox today were called upon to face the world's champion Cleveland team, the latter fresh from a batting bee on the home diamond at the expense of Detroit, which resulted in 23 hits yesterday. Manager Gleason declares it will take several days' work under a hot sun to bring the club up to the same stage as it had reached when it left the spring training camp at Waxahachie, Tex. The showers which have postponed half of the 16 scheduled games of the Sox have also interfered largely with the batting practice sessions and other workouts which Gleason has attempted.

FOR EPEE CHAMPIONSHIP

NEW YORK, April 29.—Finalists today in the open tournament for the Epee championship of the United States were Major Henry Breckenridge of the Washington Fencing club, William H. Russell of the Boston Athletic association, Chauncey McPherson of the New York Athletic club and Francis W. Honeycutt of the Washington club.

Russell with seven victories in as many bouts, and Honeycutt with six, were top men. Breckenridge and McPherson in a round robin to break a triple tie with Ray Dutcher, present champion, fenced the latter out of a place in the finals.

LOADMAN BEATS REGAN

BOSTON, April 29.—Dick Loadman of Buffalo won the decision over Dutch Regan in their 10-round battle in the Carlyle feature bout last night.

The Buffalo fighter, who is a veteran ringster, knew too much ring craft for the East Boston lad, who was making his first appearance in the ring as a pro.

The visitor had all the better of the inside fighting while Regan excelled him on long distance work.

Bill McKinnon stopped Jack Savage in five rounds and Al Sears won the decision over Danny Burns of Lynn.

SEEKS BALL GAMES

Sporting Editor:—Dear Sir: The Correct Dodge baseball team of Newburyport, champions of the Industrial league of 1920, would like to arrange for games away from home with fast semi-pro. teams. Reasonable guarantee expected. Open dates in May, June, July and August. Telephone Newburyport, 1155 or write M. A. Twomey, care of Nathan D. Dodge Shoe Co., Kent street, Newburyport, Mass.

LARZEN TO MEET JAMIESON

BOSTON, April 29.—Magnus Larzen of New York, who showed a punch like the kick of a mule in winning the national amateur light heavyweight boxing championship here a month ago returned today to enter the professional prize ring here tonight. His first opponent will be Ted Jamieson of Milwaukee, who was amateur titleholder in the same class in 1917. The battle promised to be one of heavy hitting against cleverness and speed.

DURHAM DOING MOVIES

INDIANAPOLIS, April 29.—Bull Durham, the pitching star who was sold by Indianapolis to New York for $5000 several years ago, is now on the payroll of a moving picture company at $1000 a week.

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LEACH CROSS "COMEBACK"

PORTLAND, Ore., April 29.—Leach Cross, veteran New York lightweight, fought a terrific 10-round draw against Joe Gorman of Portland here last night. Newspapermen were unanimous in according Cross seven out of the ten rounds. One Judge gave it to Cross and the other called it a draw. The referee called it a draw. Cross outpunched Gorman, who is rated as the hardest hitter of the coast.

ELBERFELD CHASED

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 29.—Norman "Kid" Elberfeld is the first Southern league manager to be chased from the ball park this season. Umpire Jack O'Toole made the Little Rock skipper fade out of the picture for being too peppy the other day.

WHEAT ONLY TEASING

BROOKLYN, April 29.—Zach Wheat now claims he held out for a salary of $15,000 just to tease Squire Ebbets. His salary last year was $5000. Ebbets gave him an $800 raise.

The South Sea Islanders have a curious method of salutation, which is to fling a jar of water over the head of a friend.

SETH TANNER

Th' best bet is one that cures us o' bettin'. Th' law makers don't seem to be able to keep up with th' crooks.

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ARBOR DAY AND ITS MEANING

Tomorrow will be observed as Arbor day in compliance with the proclamation of the governor. This particular day is understood to have some reference to tree planting, but unfortunately, comparatively few take it seriously. The people of this city, and we might say this state, have not acquired the tree-planting habit. It is time they changed their customs in this respect, however. The forests of Massachusetts are rapidly disappearing and there is no effort made to replace them.

It is time a real movement for reforestation were started. It is so easy to plant trees that nothing is needed to make it successful, but an agency to direct the work. The park department has all the machinery needed for that purpose. It can instruct the public in the kind of trees best suited to our soil and climate and urge everybody to plant. The department itself can do more in this respect than it has been doing in past years. We should have in and around Lowell several tracts planted with young shade trees and fenced in to protect them until they have attained the size at which they are not likely to be broken down by boys or hunters.

To relieve the shortage of wood pulp, whole tracts of waste land should be planted with hardy trees that in time would prove valuable.

There is so much waste land in the suburbs that it is surprising that the owners do not utilize it in this way. Forests at the present time have a greater value than ever before; and if man only plants the young trees in suitable soil, Nature will do the rest.

The United States chamber of commerce has taken up the matter of reforestation, finding that with the loss of $25,000,000 by forest fires and the continual hewing down of young trees for wood pulp, it is an absolute necessity to give more attention to the planting of trees.

At the present time a measure known as the Snell bill is before congress with the approval of the National Forestry Association. Its purpose being to promote the conservation of forests, to encourage the planting of trees and conduct a campaign of education along these lines throughout the country. It provides for a real national forest policy in which every part of the country can be interested and induced to co-operate.

Timber enterprises require some capital to begin with, as the crop is slow in coming to maturity, and this is where state and federal aid can be used with advantage. There are tracts of land covered with useless brush for generations past that if planted with trees would in time become valuable.

Arbor Day offers an opportunity for giving this movement a real boost, and it is hoped, therefore, that all who can do so, will plant a tree or many trees; and if this is not feasible, plant a shrub or a rose bush—something to give Nature a chance to show her readiness to help those who show a willingness to help themselves.

MAKING OVER MIDDLESEX

If the counties of the commonwealth could set up anew in business at the present time it would undoubtedly be with very different internal arrangements and boundary lines from those that exist at present. The pioneers meant well when they set aside the present political divisions and established their meets and bounds and selected their shire towns, but unfortunately they were without foreknowledge as to what the future had in store in the way of growth of population and changed conditions.

Middlesex county has a population of more than three-quarters of a million persons. The two sovereign states of Vermont and New Hampshire combined have less people within their borders. The county is made up of eleven cities and 43 towns, and the property valuation of its citizens is climbing toward the billion mark.

Geographically the county may be compared in shape with a big cup, the northwestern towns of Ashby, Townsend, Pepperell, Groton and Shirley furnishing the semblance of a small handle. It stretches from the New Hampshire line down to the towns of Holliston, Hopkinton and Sherborn south of Framingham. Its most western towns are north of and adjacent to Fitchburg. In any new arrangement of boundary lines we should certainly lose some of the members of the Middlesex family to Norfolk and Worcester counties. It need not be anticipated that the day for saying farewell is near.

One of the unfortunate features of the present layout of Middlesex is that its principal shire town is located at the extreme eastern edge of the county. It requires a long and tiresome journey from many of the towns to reach it. The city has only a few unimportant railroad stations within its borders and the county buildings are located in an out-of-the-way corner that is not easy to reach.

It is certainly a source of inconvenience to a considerable portion of the people of old Middlesex that the business of the county is being more and more centralized in Cambridge. For even the people of Lowell, making up approximately one-seventh of the population of the county, it has come to be more or less of a hardship that they are compelled to journey to Boston and then out to the university city when they have business to transact with the officials or in the courts.

There may be no way out of the situation, but it is certainly not an entirely satisfactory state of affairs that the whole of northern Middlesex should be compelled to have all of its cases that reach the criminal courts considered in Cambridge. To many the expense of securing justice under the present arrangement is a matter to be reckoned with. And the bill of rights of Massachusetts provides that "justice shall be free." Present railroad rates and the location of the criminal courts seem, however, to have put one over on the framers of the constitution.

WAGES AND COST OF LIVING

"The administration does not expect labor to do it all. There must be further reductions in the cost of living that will enable the workingman to accept a reduced wage."

This paragraph, quoted from the Washington correspondence of H. B. Hunt, one of the most reliable of Washington writers, goes to the very heart of the big problem now pressing for solution.

That problem is to find a new level where wages and cost of living can meet with reasonable equity to all concerned.

That the administration realizes that there is far too great a discrepancy between the production and retail sales costs of those things which the workingman must buy, is a good sign.

It is probably unfair to the retailer to charge all of this discrepancy to him. He represents but a part of the machinery of distribution.

Between him and the original manufacturer are brokers, jobbers, wholesalers and whatnot, all performing more or less useful functions, the cost and profit of which are finally translated into terms of price to the retailer.

On top of this, the retailer is entitled to a fair profit.

What the workingman, or any other consumer, is interested in, is what he pays to the retailer.

This is the figure that must be taken into account when cost of living, in its relation to wages, is being considered.

There is no doubt that much of the recent talk about reduced cost of living is based upon decreased prices received by the manufacturer and farmer.

Some of this great decrease has been reflected in retail prices, but not enough to stimulate buying to the extent that it must be stimulated before there can be a return of real prosperity.—N.E.A.

DEACON CARTER

No city can boast of many men so deeply devoted to charitable works as was Deacon Carter, the announcement of whose death brings sorrow to those religious and other organizations which were the beneficiaries of his generous donations. His benevolence was an inspiration to others and will prove so to those who will come after him. He believed that wealth can be applied to no better purpose than the relief of suffering and the uplift of his fellowmen.

The sudden death of Captain Brosnan of the police department, removes an upright, courteous and courageous official. His record in the department has many proofs of his fearless fidelity to duty and his unflinching courage in every emergency. He was a fine type of the experienced police officer who performed his duty without being too officious.

The federal government having offered $1 for the famous old yacht America, why would it not be well for someone hereabouts to bid a little higher and get the old craft to anchor in the Merrimack as a memorial to her former owner—General Benjamin F. Butler?

Punitive action is demanded against federal officials in Washington, who have exceeded the annual appropriations for their departments by about half a billion dollars, and we may expect to see some of them starting jailward about the same time that the sun begins rising in the west.

Governor Cox says that Massachusetts was the first place in the country "to realize the need for adjusting the street railway problem." This, then, was evidently one of the instances in which the early bird did not catch the worm, for we have the "unadjusted" problems still with us.

"The newspaper is the great educative institution before which even colleges and universities must bow," says former Ambassador John W. Davis, but some people seem never to get enough of education to appreciate the fact.

With Chairman Delaney frantically hammering with his gavel and all of the members trying to talk at once, perhaps we have a practical example of the desirability of open sessions of the school board that The Sun helped to bring about.

Senator Harrison, democrat, of Mississippi, in a speech in the senate, referred to "long, lean, lanky, hungry republicans." There ought not to be many of that kind on Beacon hill when the stock market favors are going round.

An argument in favor of electing more farmers to the general court—the legislatures of other New England states have adjourned so that their members could go home and attend to their spring planting.

That not all the heroines are on the movie screen is shown by the act of Miss Geraldine Vanderburgh, Lowell General hospital nurse, in saving a venturesome small boy from death by drowning.

For the benefit of the man with a thirst, it may be mentioned that beer is more likely to be "proscribed" than "prescribed" when congress gets through acting on Dr. Palmer's edict opening the sluiceways of booze.

No Maud, we do not credit the rumor that it will be necessary to open the empty jails to accommodate the guilty legislators caught in the Boston L probe.

The meanest of the mean—the individual who undertook to set fire to a Portsmouth, N. H., church.

Like suicide, refusal to arbitrate may be considered confession.

SEEN AND HEARD

Success depends just as much on knowing not what to do as what to do.

The confidence man is always pleased to meet wise guys who know it all.

Ladies, do you know anything worse than to have a rain right after washing the windows? Some people don't wash their windows. But it isn't on account of the rain. Just plain indifference, plus laziness, that's all.

Prohibition in Ontario, said a fellow with whom we talked at the hotel a few evenings ago, is going to make it powerful dry around Detroit. One by one the booze gates are closed.

A genial travelling man, discussing automobiles and their ever increasing numbers, said he counted 700 in Washington square, Haverhill, while he was enjoying a few minutes respite from his arduous duties in a hotel there a few days ago. And he is not a drinking man, either.

Ducks Were Overloaded

A country housewife of good intentions, but with little culinary knowledge, decided to try her hand at cake making. The result was somewhat on the heavy side, and, after offering it to the various members of her household, she threw it to the ducks in disgust. A short time afterward two urchins tapped at her door. "I say, missus," they shouted, "your ducks have sunk!"

Made Dire Threat

A cotton spinner, after many fruitless attempts to get a manufacturer to settle his account, wrote him a letter couched in very strong terms.

The pair met the following day, and the manufacturer protested against the language used in the note.

"Every account I get," he explained, "is thrown into a basket, and once a month I dip my hand in and draw out four bills. Those four are paid. Now, if I get any more impudent letters from you, your bill won't even get into the basket!"

Wise Small Boy

A small boy was taken to see the new baby, whom he eyed very critically.

"Why, he's got no hair, father," was his first remark.

The fact was admitted.

"And he's got no teeth, father," was the next comment.

The circumstances could not be denied.

"I tell you what, father," was the final observation, "you've been swindled; he's an old one."

At "Gnashaway"

A correspondent of the Boston Herald remarks: "Your inquiry as to the whereabouts of the popcorn man who shoved his basket ahead of him as he enticingly cried his wares is easily answered. He may be found at Nashua, N. H., where he daily passes through all trains. His activities have supplanted the pause which the trains used to make at that station in the old days. Some of your readers will doubtless recall how the brakeman used to stick his head in the door and shout, "Nashua—10 minutes for refreshments—gnash-away."—Manchester Mirror.

Telling It on Sweeney

A Boston municipal reformer, in the course of an address to Harvard students, said:

"Man wasn't made to loaf. The minute he begins to loaf he takes to drink or hypochondria—I don't know which is worse.

"There's a loafing hypochondriac named Sweeney who spends all his time talking about his health. He's always ailing and usually when you go to see him you find him in bed with a headache or rheumatism or dyspepsia or what not.

"Sweeney was tottering feebly down the street one day when he fell in with a burly friend named George.

"'George,' he said, 'I'd give anything to be as strong and healthy as you are. What do you live on?'

"'I live on fruit,' said George.

"'Fruit, eh?' said Sweeney eagerly. 'That sounds good. I'll have to try it. What kind of fruit, George?'

"'The fruit of labor,' George answered significantly."—Washington Star.

A Mother

She is your own; a gift, somehow;
You see no reasons why:
There is a softness on her brow
And a warmth in her deep eye
Which have a perfect power to bless
And fill your heart with thankfulness.

She holds might in her soft speech,
A fire in her deep smile,
That down into your soul can reach
And make it tremble, while
You feel the wealth of all Earth's lands
Is less than are her heart, her hands.

She does not bargain for return;
She clamors not for pay:—
You only know you could not earn
Though you should live for aye,
The tenderness she gladly gives,
The flawless love in which she lives.

ALFRED ARNOLD.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

The public is deeply interested in murder trials. The counters on newspaper presses give assurance of that fact. There are some people who decry such interest as being "morbid," but if it is so, then human nature itself must be "morbid" for the interest is almost as widespread. There have been a considerable number of noted trials for homicide here in Massachusetts, and some of them have attracted nation-wide attention. One such was the placing of Lizzie Borden of Fall River before a jury on the charge of parental murder. A small army of newspaper men followed the case. A Boston and New York newspaper were represented by Joe Howard, dean of reporters and a wonderful descriptive writer. Miss Borden was acquitted and that fact puts an end to comment on the way in which the case ended. Many reports indicated that, although she was a wealthy woman, her life after the trial was far from being a happy one. The Jane Toppan case attracted wide attention because of the peculiar elements of mystery that entered into it and the characteristics of the unbalanced nurse-poisoner. It will be remembered that a Lowell family was intimately connected with this case. The long-drawn-out trial of Charles R. Tucker, for the killing of Mabel Page of Weston, about a dozen years ago, at the time aroused many people of Massachusetts to a high pitch of excitement. Tucker was electrocuted. The case was one over which there was much disagreement among those who followed it closely in the court room. It was claimed by some that, while the finger of suspicion may have pointed darkly in the direction of Tucker as the man who killed Miss Page, the evidence was not such as to convince beyond a reasonable doubt. Some tens of thousands of people took this view of the outcome of the trial and petitioned Gov. Curtis Guild to commute the condemned man's sentence to imprisonment for life. The governor refused to interfere, and his refusal, it has been claimed by some, was based in part on what he thought was evidence in the case, but which never was presented to the jury.

Seven-and-a-half cents a pound or $8.25 a hundred. This is how sugar was selling in a local grocery store one day this week. As a rule the more you buy of anything, the cheaper the price is, but in this particular instance it was just the opposite. This grocer had a large sign in the window of his store bearing the inscription, "Sugar, 7½ cents a pound." It was the sign that attracted my attention and I immediately entered the place and enquired if I could purchase 100 pounds of the sweet stuff and the reply was in the affirmative. Believing I might get the goods cheaper by buying in 100-pound lot, I enquired what the price would be, and I was told $8.25. "How do you get that way," I said, "7½ cents a pound or $8.25 a hundred?" I was then informed that sugar at 7½ cents a pound was what grocers call a "leader," and that every time a pound of the stuff was sold at that price the retailer lost half a cent, for sugar at wholesale was that $8 a hundred. The grocer said he was willing to sell me the sugar at cost price, but he would charge 25 cents for delivery. This is a new way of doing business.

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The coal consumer who puts his coal in now at the present low prices is really placing a bet with the odds five to one in his favor. The only two things that can lower the prices this year are lower freight rates and a reduction of the base price at the mines. The latter, instead of going down, is going up, and the roads are in such a financial condition that we see no hope of lower freight rates. The cash discount on the May prices, effective Monday, will be 35 cents per ton. We can only advise you to put in your orders now and pay for the same and you will help save a serious situation later.

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HAYS ADDRESSES PUBLISHERS

Postmaster General Outlines Attitude of Department Toward Press

Realizes Importance of Quick Delivery of Papers and Pledges Co-operation

NEW YORK, April 29.—Postmaster General Hays in an address yesterday at the annual luncheon of the American Newspaper Publishers association, outlined the attitude of his department toward the press.

"There are two things in connection with our relation which I would state and re-emphasize. First, it is no part of the primary business of the postoffice department to act as a censor of the press. This should not and will not be.

"Second, we are going to get along together and do the right thing in all of these matters of classification, rates, etc., and I want it distinctly understood there will never be any occasion when a publisher with any kind of a grievance is not thrice welcome to sit down with the head of the department and work it out."

Must Have Papers on Time

He promised to give the question of second class mails his closest attention, saying that the one unpardonable sin of the postoffice is not to deliver the daily newspaper on time.

"The newspaper is pre-eminently a thing a man wants when he wants it, and if he can't have it when he wants it, he doesn't want it at all," he said.

"We all know that the newspapers go to press on time, that they get off the press on time, that they are delivered to the postoffice on time, and that therefore if they do not reach their subscribers on time the fault lies not with the publishers but with the postoffice department.

"And, generally speaking, that's so. I'm not going to dodge the responsibility. There's no use in dodging when the dodging isn't good."

Mr. Hays brought a personal message from President Harding. The president told him yesterday, he said, to tell the publishers "we expect your help in bringing this republic and its varied interests into the straight-forward track again."

Institution For Service

Mr. Hays told the publishers he was determined to put the entire postal service upon a purely business basis—"so serviceable and so sound that no political party will ever again dare attempt to ignore or evade it ultimately."

"The postal establishment is most certainly not an institution of profit nor politics," he said, "but an institution for service. You can't expect men and women to give service if they are to be shuttlecocks of politics."

He said he would make certain that honest and efficient service would be honestly recognized in the department; that he would make such rectifications "as in all decency and fairness must be made to assure a square deal" and that the civil service would be broadened and strengthened wherever possible.

Welfare Department

He outlined plans for improving the condition of the employes through the agency of a new welfare department in the service. He said that although the employes have the brains and the hands to do their jobs well, the working conditions in many places were unsatisfactory.

Outlining a comprehensive system for bettering the service generally, he recounted steps that have been taken to facilitate foreign and airplane mail. Now that arrangements have been made for sending mail to soviet Russia, he said, the foreign mail service is again at normalcy.

As an adjunct to the campaign for increasing trade between the United States and South America, Mr. Hays said international money orders may now be exchanged with many of the South and Central American countries and negotiations are being conducted with the postal administrations of all the others.

To Wipe Out Robberies

"It is expected," he said, "that very soon it will be possible for American exporters to receive payment for their goods wherever shipped in South America by postal money orders payable in dollars at their local postoffices.

"In this connection, too, I might suggest that I hope it will be possible to induce the commercial interests of the chambers of commerce to send delegates to the Pan-American postal congress at Buenos Aires next August to help develop this."

Mr. Hays emphasized his recent announcement that he was determined to wipe out mail robberies. He declared the loss of more than $6,000,000 in 33 major robberies last year to be an intolerable situation.

"We assume that the mail is the one most inviolate thing in the country and it must be kept so," he said.

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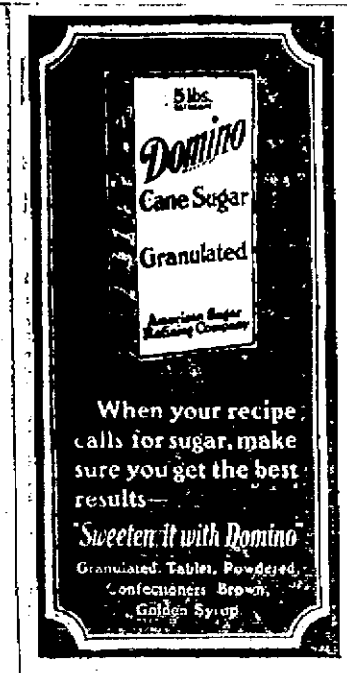

TO VOTE ON KNOX PEACE RESOLUTION TOMORROW

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The senate will vote on the Knox peace resolution Saturday under a tacit agreement reach yesterday during the opening debate. Its adoption was conceded on all sides, with few senators desiring to speak, and the republican and democratic leaders, Senators Lodge of Massachusetts and Underwood of Alabama, arranged at yesterdy's session for final disposition on Saturday to clear the way for consideration of the emergency tariff bill next Monday.

The peace resolution was attacked from both republican and democratic sides yesterday, Senator Nelson, republican, Minnesota, unexpectedly opening the debate with a broadside at the resolution that dissipated republican hopes for a united front on adoption of the measure. Senator Underwood also spoke at length against the resolution, but with no other senators ready to proceed, the senate recessed until today, when Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, ranking democrat on the foreign relations committee, and Senators King of Utah and Pomerene of Ohio and other democrats are scheduled to speak.

Defense of the resolution probably will come on Saturday when Senators Lodge, Knox, Borah and others are expected to take the floor.

Senator Nelson, who was a "mild reservationist" in the controversy over the treaty of Versailles, criticized the Knox resolution yesterday as "halting, equivocal and only partial." He deplored its failure to support reparation and disarmament demands on Germany and said adoption would "encourage Germany to continue with her reluctance to comply with the treaty of Versailles as to disarmament and reparations."

Senator Underwood assailed the resolution as "inopportune," in view of reparations negotiations, and also as an "abandonment" of the allies. He declared it would "compromise the honor of our people," and make the United States an "outsider" in claiming the island of Yap, or other war settlements.

Senator McKellar, democrat, Tennessee, interjected a statement that the resolution was unprecedented and that the United States could not reserve claims under the treaty of Versailles without being a party to that treaty. Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, replied that it was "a good precedent" to be established.

"We may not have a right to expect that the party in power should ratify the treaty of Versailles, but we do have a right to expect the conclusion of a peace which would be in accord with the aims of the war," Senator Underwood said, during his address.

Senator Watson, democrat, Georgia, interrupted to say that "the present uncertainty should be ended speedily," and Senator Underwood replied that adoption of the pending resolution would not "fix a definite status of peace," as there was no knowing that Germany "will agree to the provisions of this resolution."

Senator Watson said the present and preceding administrations had taken the position that the United States was entitled to the spoils and asked whether the United States would not be abandoning American claims by the resolution.

"Unquestionably," Senator Underwood replied, "we abandon our allies absolutely and unconditionally and reach a status of peace. By passage of this resolution we abandon our rights as a war associate."

"By this resolution," said Senator Nelson, "we insist upon full reparation for ourselves, but are wholly oblivious as to whether our allies by whose side and aid we vanquished the common enemy, secure any reparation at all. We are also by this resolution, wholly oblivious to the disarmament of Germany—a most vital matter to the future of the world. So long as we get reparation for ourselves, as long as we get our pound of flesh, we have no concern for bleeding France."

Senator Nelson asserted that he would be willing to reach peace with Austria by resolution but not with Germany. With Austria disintegrated, he said, reparations and disarmament in her case were not of so much concern.

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Men's Cotton Lisle Hosiery, regular 25c value, all colors ..... 7 Pairs for 99¢

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Children's Chambray and Gingham Dresses with bloomers, regular $2.00 value..... 99¢
Women's Outsize Vests, with or without sleeves, regular 25c value.....7 for 99¢
Women's Ribbed Top Hosiery, regular and outsize, regular 19c value.....7 Pairs for 99¢
Women's Silk Stockings, semi-fashioned, seamed back hosiery, regular 79c value, 2 Pairs for 99¢
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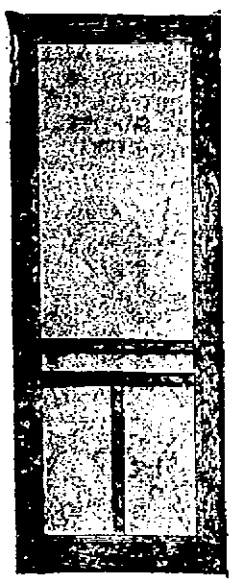

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FOCH OVERWHELMED WITH LETTERS

PARIS, April 12.—Marshal Foch says that one of his great regrets is that he has not time enough to properly digest the big mail he receives. Like most men in his conspicuous position, he gets daily a bag of correspondence that keeps his aids busy, sifting the trivial and eccentric from the important and interesting.

Friends and enemies alike write him profusely and their letters run the whole gamut from ecstatic adulation to frenzied vituperation. This morning he received a dozen letters and as many packages from the same person, an American. All were registered. The American must have known that this class of mail gets first attention by the Marshal's staff.

Nearly every mail brings a letter from some pro-German in America inviting the marshal to have himself hanged or to go to the place of fire and brimstone. By every mail someone sends him an ode or a song written in his honor.

Mothers write him informing him they have named the finest baby in the world after him, and American fathers send word that they would have taken a good drink in his honor on some anniversary or other had not the United States gone dry.

Authors send him their books and inventors forward descriptions of wonderful new engines of destruction or schemes to suppress war.

The marshal's advice is asked on all the subjects with which he says he is least familiar.

What has amused him most lately was a post card received from San Francisco with the photographs of two pickaninnies and the inscription "Here's Young America."

Since the end of the world war, 13,160 homes have been rebuilt in France, 178,500 repaired and 46,570 other houses in use temporarily.

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PONZI BROUGHT INTO COURT

State's Charges, if Sustained, Would Expose Him to Heavy Sentence

Appearance Noted on Records and Arguments Set for Next Tuesday

BOSTON, April 28.—Charles Ponzi, who is serving a five-year sentence as a federal prisoner in Plymouth county jail for using the mails to defraud, was brought to the bar of the superior court today to stand trial on the state's many charges against him.

Sheriff Earl Blake, who produced the prisoner, had been technically arrested for contempt when he persisted in the position that Ponzi as a federal prisoner was not subject to trial in the courts of the state. The federal court, however, concurred in the petition of Attorney General Allen that Ponzi should be placed on trial on the larceny charges pending against him. These charges, if sustained, would expose the former financier to a much greater sentence than that which he is now undergoing. The actual proceedings today were brief.

Judge Fessenden had Ponzi's appearance noted on the records of the superior court, but did not call upon him to plead. Counsel for the prisoner announced that he was present under protest and that they would deny the jurisdiction of the court. Arguments on this phase of the case were set for next Tuesday.

PROTESTS WAGE CUTS

Jewell Says Reductions Would Impair the Standard of American Living

CHICAGO, April 28.—Reductions of railroad wages would impair the standard of American living and would have no jurisdiction in "ethics, economic reason or the cold concrete facts of present day industrial life," it was declared by B. M. Jewell, head of the railway unions who opened the employes' fight to retain present wage scales before he railroad labor board today.

Contentions of the railroads that the cost of living had declined since the wage award of July, 1920, were met with the reply that that award was based on the price of December, 1919, and not on those of July, 1920, the peak of high prices. Mr. Jewell declared that it would require three years for railway employes, at their present wages, to recoup the losses sustained during the war period "by the failure of their earnings to keep pace with the increased cost of living."

"The railroads rush in and say 'Give us our pound of flesh.'" Mr. Jewell said, "even before it can be determined whether the cost of living has actually declined since the award of this board or whether it will be higher or lower in the future. The insistence of the railroads upon a wage reduction, in our opinion, has been most unexpected and unseemly. There are no data which can be presented to this board which would justify the board in authorizing at this time, a reduction in the rates of pay of railroad employes."

CONGRESS KILLS DAYLIGHT SAVING

(Special to The Sun.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 28.—Interstate and foreign commerce committee of the house today voted against considering of reporting out any daylight saving bill at this session. This will probably result in congress failing to pass such legislation as the action of the committee is thought to express the general sentiment of congress.

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TO KEEP PRICES HIGH

Untermeyer Says Country Honeycombed With Price Associations

NEW YORK, April 28.—Evidence showing the country to be honeycombed with so-called price associations, or combinations to maintain prices at certain levels in violation of the anti-trust laws, is in the hands of the legislative committee investigating an alleged building trust here, Samuel Untermeyer, the committee's special counsel, declared today when the committee entered the third day of its resumed inquiry.

Mr. Untermeyer, who yesterday began investigation of a group of 13 manufacturers' exchanges operating in all parts of the country, said that so far he had only skirted the fringe of an exposure of conditions which, he declared would make John T. Hettrick, author of the "Code of Practice," look "like a piker" in comparison. Hettrick is now serving sentence on Blackwell's Island.

WESTFIELD, April 28—Far scattered members of the old 104th Infantry, 26th Division, A.E.F., returned today for their second reunion and the third anniversary of Apremont Day, commemorative of that day in 1918, when on the field, in recognition of bravery in battle, the French government bestowed upon the regimental colors the Croix de Guerre.

M. VIVIANI OPTIMISTIC

France's Envoy Back Home After Visit to U. S.—Interviewed By Newspapermen

PARIS, April 28.—Rene Viviani, France's special envoy to the United States, spoke most optimistically of the future of Franco-American relations in interviews with Paris newspapermen, printed in this morning's newspapers, following his return yesterday from America.

"I bring back more than the hope, the certainty of, the very early close collaboration of France and America, both on diplomatic and financial ground," the ex-premier is quoted as saying to his numerous interviewers.

The sympathies of the immense majority of the Americans were wholeheartedly with the French, said M. Viviani.

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DISPATCHES

NEW YORK, April 28.—The board of directors of the Wells-Fargo Express Co. today declared a dividend of $2.50 a share, payable on June 20 to stockholders of May 30. This is the first dividend the company has declared since July, 1918.

BOSTON, April 28—President Frank

SENATE COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE HOSPITALS

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Senator Walsh today introduced a resolution asking appointment of a committee of senators to investigate the conditions of veterans in hospitals and the war risk insurance methods. The statement made yesterday by Senator Walsh regarding pitiable and reprehensive conditions existing in New England so-called private hospitals and elsewhere has raised a storm of indignation and senators are keen for immediate investigation and relief.

Walsh will probably be named as chairman of the investigating committee. He declines to give names or further details, saying it would be improper to do so before the formal investigation begins. RICHARDS.

G. Allen of the senate and Speaker B. Loring Young of the house, were among the 12 witnesses summoned to testify today in the legislative investigation of dealings in street railway stocks by members of the general assembly of 1918 and 1919.

BOSTON, April 28.—The schooner Mayflower, Boston's candidate for international fishing vessel race honors next fall, set out today on her maiden voyage, a salt fishing trip to the Magdalene Islands in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

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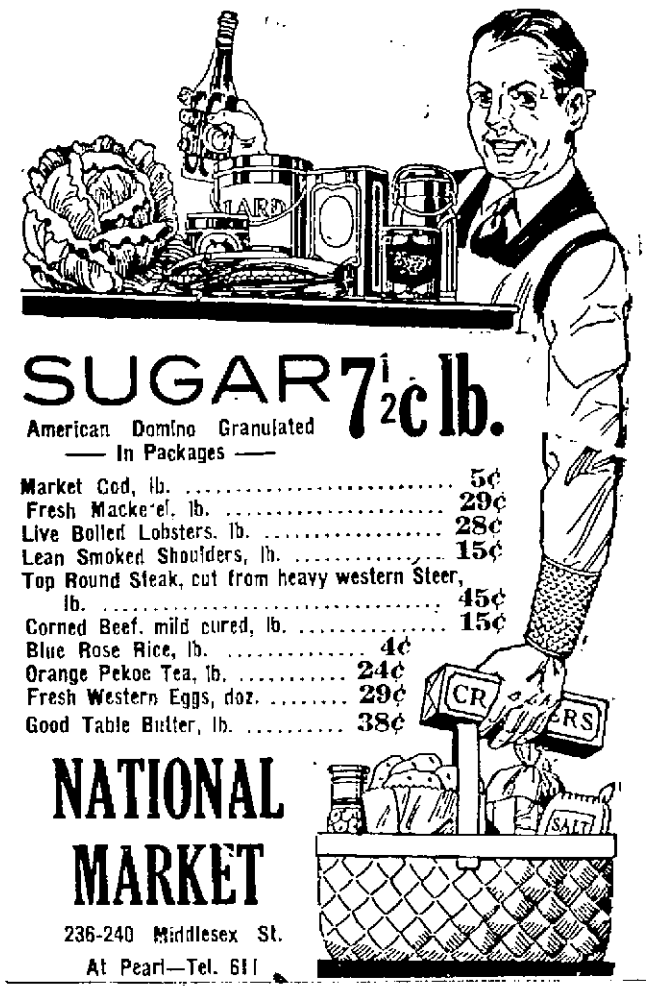

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Appointment of Three Assistant Federal District Attorneys by Atty-Gen. Daugherty Announced

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Appointment of three assistant federal district attorneys for Massachusetts was announced today by Attorney General Daugherty. They are: Essex L. Abbott of Haverhill, Charles P. Curtis of Boston and Joseph W. Keith of Bridgewater.

TEN KILLED IN HOLDUP

Bloodiest Payroll Robbery in History of Mexican Oil Fields

HOUSTON, Tex., April 29.—In the bloodiest payroll holdup in the history of the oil fields of Mexico, a band of 15 Mexican bandits robbed officials of the Agwi Oil Co., of approximately 135,000 pesos in Mexican gold near Tampico, April 21, according to delayed advices reaching Houston. Ten persons were killed, including two bandits, in the fighting that accompanied the holdup.

The Agwi Oil Co. is a British concern.

The money had been taken from the vaults of the company at Tampico on the morning of the holdup and transferred to an automobile across the Panaco river for transporting to the southern fields. The money was in charge of Salvador Davalos, assistant paymaster of the Agwi Co., and his brother, Trinidad. Six Mexican soldiers accompanied the paymaster.

At a point three kilometres from "Old Town" Tampico, the party encountered a wagon blocking the road. While the obstruction was being removed the bandits opened fire from ambush.

Trinidad Davalos, five soldiers, two chauffeurs and two bandits were killed in the engagement, while Paymaster Davalos, one soldier and two bandits were wounded.

The bandits escaped to the nearby hills with the payroll.

Two companies of soldiers under command of Gen. Pedro L. Vasquez were sent in pursuit.

Agwi is the trade term for Atlantic Gulf and West Indies.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Four of the 10 persons slain in the payroll holdup in the Tampico oil fields, word of which has just been received, were Mexicans employed by the Agwi Oil Co. officials stated here late yesterday.

It was said only meagre details had been received here, but the men in charge of the payroll were attacked at a point three miles from Tampico while on their way to the oil fields. The holdup was promptly reported to the Mexican authorities.

ATROCITIES BY SERBIANS AND CROATIANS

ROME, April 29.—Dalmatian refugees arriving at the city of Pola relate deplorable occurrences during occupation of Italian sections of Dalmatia, it is said in newspaper despatches reaching this city.

It is declared that about 100 heavily armed Serbian and Croatian soldiers landed at Curzola recently for the purpose of attacking the Italian consulate, and assertion is made that they maltreated Italians remaining on the island. It is probable, it is said, that several deaths will result. The consul fled after telegraphing to Zara for assistance.

The Serbians and Croatians are reported to have destroyed all vestiges of former Venetian and Roman days, demolishing the finest monuments, including the "Lion of St. Mark," situated on the Island of Torrione.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Delia M. Gray, late of Lowell in said County, deceased:

Whereas, Mary A. Welch, the administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of her administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the tenth day of May, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administratrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. F. M. ESTY, Register.

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The Danish technological institute has opened a special course to teach practical methods of burning different fuels in various kinds of stoves with the greatest economy.

LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George D. Skordoeres, also called George D. Skordores, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Benjamin Green of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk and said Commonwealth, dated September 26, 1920, recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the Northern District of said County of Middlesex, Book 631, Page 504, and also registered as Document 3112, noted on Certificate of Title No. 1035 in Registration Book 8, Page 77, in the North Registry District of said County of Middlesex and by virtue of a certain instrument given by Vaselike Skordoeres to said Benjamin Green, dated December 18, 1920, recorded in said Registry Book 637, Page 501, also registered as Document No. 3235, noted on said Certificate of Title, for Breach of the Condition of said Mortgage Deed and for the purpose of Foreclosing the same, will be sold at Public Auction on the respective premises hereinafter described on Saturday the twenty-first day of May, 1921, all and singular the premises conveyed by said Mortgage Deed and therein described substantially as follows:

First parcel at two o'clock in the afternoon of said May 21, 1921.

The land in said Lowell situated on the northerly side of Lakeview Avenue, formerly known as River Street, in that part of said Lowell called Centralville, the buildings thereon now supposed to be numbered 357 on said Avenue, containing ten thousand square feet of land, more or less, and thus bounded and described:

Beginning at a point marked now or formerly by a stake and stones on the northerly side of said Avenue at the southeasterly corner of the premises and at the southwesterly corner of land now or formerly of John M. G. Parker; thence northerly on said Parker land one hundred three and 30-100 (103.30) feet to a corner of a fence at other land of said Parker; thence westerly on said Parker land and land now or formerly of Clarissa Law one hundred and 45-100 (100.45) feet to a corner at land formerly of Loring W. and Hannah A. Lewis; thence southerly on said Lewis land ninety-seven and 38-100 (97.38) feet to said Lakeview Avenue; thence easterly on said avenue one hundred (100) feet to the point of beginning. Be said contents or any or all of said measurements more or less and however otherwise said premises may be measured, bounded or described. Being the same premises to said George D. Skordoeres conveyed under the name of George D. Skordores by deed dated January 9, 1918, and recorded in said Registry Book 553, Page 40. And the above described parcel will be sold and conveyed subject to a prior mortgage by John H. Eacrett to the City Institutions for Savings, dated Aug. 19, 1914, and recorded in said Registry Book 560, Page 138.

Second parcel at three o'clock in the afternoon of said May 21, 1921.

Also a tract of land with the buildings thereon situated in said Lowell bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Second street forty-four (44) feet; northwesterly by land now or formerly of Fanny Wells et al, ninety (90) feet; northeasterly by land now or formerly of Elizabeth Coulon forty-four (44) feet and southeasterly by land now or formerly of Patrick J. Byrne ninety (90) feet. All of said boundaries are determined by the Land Court of said Commonwealth to be located as shown on Plan 4113 A, 1 and 2, drawn by O. M. Snell, C. E., dated November, 1912, as approved by the Court, filed in the Land Registration Office, a copy of a portion of which is filed with Certificate of Title No. 360 in said North Registry District and said land is shown as Lot A on said Plan. The above described land is subject to the provisions which the Court construes and determines to be restrictions set forth in a deed given by Alpheus R. Brown to Mary B. Varnum, dated April 12, 1856, and recorded in said Registry Book 5, Page 113. For title of said George D. Skordoeres see Certificate of Title No. 1035, and the last described premises will be sold and conveyed subject to a mortgage given by John H. Eacrett to the Middlesex Safe Deposit and Trust company, dated June 2, 1917, and registered as Document No. 1646, noted on said Certificate of Title No. 1035.

The above described premises will be sold and conveyed subject to any and all taxes and other municipal assessments and Tax Sales which may be due or to become due, if any there are, and the purchaser of each parcel will be required to deposit Five Hundred ($500) Dollars at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

BENJAMIN GREEN,
Mortgagee and present holder of said mortgage.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Odile Page, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Raoul Page of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of May, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of said citation to all the heirs-at-law of said deceased seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. F. M. ESTY, Register.

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b6.30	7.50	ab8.15	9.34
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GREAT FALLS, Mont., April 29.—Declaring that "spinsters are responsible for my not being married, in their refusals of my wooing in the past," William Atzinger, 35, a member of the board of directors of the Montana state fair today notified the assessor of Chouteau county that he will refuse to pay the poll tax of $3 levied by the last legislature upon bachelors.

"Tax the spinsters of the same age, and I will gladly pay, but otherwise it is class legislation and I stand upon my rights," he declared. "Furthermore, I refuse to get married to escape jail and I refuse to pay a bachelor tax to escape jail."

JITNEYS TO RUN IN LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, April 29.—Plans will be made today by the city council to meet any situation which may arise out of the threatened street railway strike. The council will meet in special session and it is expected to grant permits for the operation of jitneys.

There are seven strike-breakers at the local power house, according to the road officials, but no men to operate the cars have arrived here yet.

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BARS RED FLAG MAY DAY

Chicago Chief Says Display In Parade Would Result In "Somebody Getting Hurt"

CHICAGO, April 29.—In granting a permit for a labor parade on Sunday, May 1, to Morris Backall, representing the socialist party in Cook county, Chief of Police Fitzmaurice made it plain that any effort to display the red flag would result in "somebody getting hurt."

Backall obtained Chief Fitzmaurice's permission to carry banners inscribed "Long Live the Social Revolution" and "Long Live the Soviet Republic."

"And we want to carry the red flag," Backall continued.

"Not a chance in the world," said the chief. "Carry the American flag or you don't parade."

"But the war is over; the red flag stands for freedom," Backall argued.

"If the red flag is displayed, at least two people will get hurt," the chief replied. "The first will be you and the second will be the person carrying the red flag. The more I think of it you might be badly hurt."

"All right then," Backall said. "We won't carry the red flag."

DEATHS

M'KISSOCK—Mrs. Annetta L. McKissock passed away last evening at her home, 648 Stevens street, aged 75 years. She leaves her husband, William B. F. McKissock; one son, Robert M. of Binghamton, N. Y., and one daughter, Miss Gertrude McKissock of this city; three grand-children, Grace, William and Robert McKissock, and four sisters, Mrs. Tirza Russell of this city, Mrs. Lucy B. Abbott of Stoughton, Mass., Mrs. Eliza Whittemore of North Dakota and Mrs. Tait of Lorainne, O. She was a member of Evening Star lodge of Rebekahs.

FUNERALS

JUDGE—The funeral of James Judge, a Canadian veteran of the world war, took place this morning from the funeral parlors of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay, 655 Gorham street, at 8 o'clock. At the Tewksbury novitiate at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass was celebrated by Rev. Robert J. McCoy, O.M.I. The sanctuary choir rendered the Gregorian chant. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings to testify to the high esteem in which the deceased was held. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the last volley was fired by Edward McPartland, John H. Shea and John E. Dannahy, all members of the Stoneham post of the American Legion. Taps were sounded by Bugler Albert Hart of the Lowell High School Regimental corps. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

LEAHEY—The funeral of Miss Mary E. Leahey took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 40 Whipple street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9.30 o'clock a funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Francis L. Shea. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Miss Mary Hynne and James E. Donnelly. Miss Gertrude Quigley presided at the organ. There was a profusion of floral tributes and numerous spiritual offerings. The bearers were Messrs. William Daley, John D. Smith, Joseph Duggan, Timothy Monohan, James McArdle and William White. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Shea. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

FUNERAL NOTICES

SARGENT—Died in Jacksonville, Fla., April 26, of pneumonia, James M. Sargent of Lynn, in his 81st year, husband of the late Harriet Elizabeth Symmes of Westford. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Walter O. Lee of 42 Gloucester street, Boston. Funeral services will be held in the First Universalist church, Lynn, Saturday, April 30, at 2.30 p. m.

BROSNAN—The funeral of Captain James Brosnan will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 505 High street. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. Motor cortege. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FRATUS—Died in this city April 29, Alice Fratus, at the home of her parents, Daniel and Constantine Souza Fratus, 20 Tyler street, aged 2 years and 9 mos. Funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents. Services will be held at St. Anthony's church at 3 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

M'KISSOCK—Died in this city April 28, at her home, 648 Stevens street, Mrs. Annetta L. McKissock. Funeral will take place Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice. Burial private. The arrangements are in charge of John A. Weinbeck.

REQUIEM MASSES

MULDOON—There will be a month's mind mass of requiem at St. Peter's church Monday morning at 8 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Ellen Elizabeth Muldoon.

DUCHARME—There will be an anniversary mass at St. Jean's church tomorrow at 9 o'clock for Mrs. Francis Ducharme by her daughter, Mrs. Omer H. Brunnell.

WILL ENTERTAIN WOMEN VOTERS

The first conference for the Fourth Region, Middlesex County will be held by the Massachusetts League of Women Voters at Winchester, Wednesday, May 4th, at 2 o'clock. By invitation of the Winchester league and courtesy of Miss Frances Elder, the conference takes place at Miss Elder's home, Myopia Hill, and members of the Hostess league of which Mrs. D. C. Dennett is chairman, will serve tea at the close of the program. Invitations have been sent to all league members in this region and to those interested in equal political opportunity for women.

CITOYENS-AMERICAINS CLUB

Yesterday marked the 23d anniversary of the founding of the Citoyens-Americains club, a prominent political and social organization of this city, and the event was observed with a whist and dance conducted in the assembly hall of the club in Middle street. Over 400 men and women responded to the invitation and all spent a most enjoyable evening. The various apartments of the club were thrown open to the visitors and the women enjoyed themselves immensely, some playing cards, while others manipulated the cues at the billiard and pool tables. The affair was more in the form of a ladies' night and proved a delightful occasion. The large dance hall was handsomely decorated with the national and French colors and numerous electric bulbs of all colors. The amusement room on the lower floor was converted into a veritable palm garden. Shortly before 8 o'clock the guests assembled in the main hall, where whist was played under the direction of the president of the club, Narcisse Foucher, and at the close of the game suitable prizes were awarded the winners. Later refreshments were served and general dancing was started and continued till a seasonable hour, the general manager being Trefle Bordeleau. The committee in charge was as follows: Onesime Tremblay, chairman; George Ducharme, Trefle Bordeleau, Philias Rochette, A. Genest, J. Z. Chouinard and Narcisse Foucher, ex-officio.

Fail to Report to Serve Terms

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erty, the others either having reached the penitentiary or being on their way, it was said. Only one of the conspiracy chiefs is behind the bars, however, the others at Leavenworth being termed small fry, or men who "happened to get in the way of the government wartime dragnet."

Of the nine who are free, six are looked on as chief instigators of the anti-war activities. Three of these six are believed to be holding "cabinet" positions in the Russian soviet government and three are believed to be in this country. Two of the remaining three who have not surrendered are expected to give up within a few days. The other, not considered by the government to be of much importance, is looked on as "permanently missing."

Ralph Chaplin, editor of Solidarity, once the official I. W. W. organ, was said by federal officials to be the only "big gun" in the conspiracies who is now at Leavenworth.

"Big Bill" Haywood is authoritatively reported to be minister of propaganda for the Russian soviet government, with the task of spreading its doctrines through many countries. Officials virtually have lost hope that Haywood will return to this country.

Vladimim Lossief, under a 20 years' sentence, now is in Petrograd, according to information here. He has been appointed commissioner of immigration and will have charge of the admission of all persons exiled from other countries for "anti-government activities." He formerly was publisher of a Chicago Russian language paper.

Charles Rothfaser, another who drew a 20 years' sentence now is en route to Czecho-Slovakia, according to information received by federal officials and will represent the soviet government in that country. He edited a Hungarian weekly, Bermunkas, in Cleveland and Chicago before his arrest.

George Andreytchine, also under a 20-year sentence and exiled from a Balkan state through his anti-military activities, is missing, but is believed to be in this country. Fred Jakkola of Duluth and Leo Laukka, also are missing.

This six—Haywood, Lossief, Rothfaser, Andreytchine, Jakkola and Laukka—were the men who actually organized I.W.W. anti-war activities, according to Charles F. Clyne, United States district attorney.

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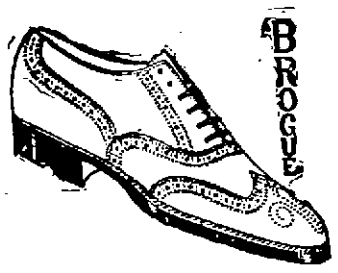

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Reg. price $1.00.....79¢
Reg. price $1.39.....98¢

Aprons—Made with elastic belts, pretty striped percale; regular price $1.29. 89¢

Dutch Aprons—A cute style, made of fine light percale, trimmed with rick rack braid; regular price 98c. 59¢

Camisoles—Of flesh color, satin and crepe de chine, lace trimmed, also black, brown and blue satin; regular price $1.19..... 69¢
Regular price $1.50...98¢

Fancy Chemise—Of crepe de chine and satin, flesh color with white lace trimming; regular price $2.50. $1.89

Women's Waists — Striped madras, percale and white voile; regular price $1.29. 79¢

Voile Waists—All white, with pretty lace trimming; regular price $2.49....$1.49

Women's Bloomers—Made of fine pink crepe or batiste; 79c value..... 59¢

Gingham Dresses—For children, new styles in plaids, stripes, checks, sizes 7 to 14.
Reg. price $1.50...$1.00
Reg. price $1.79...$1.49

Middy Blouses—All white or with colored collars and cuffs, women's and misses' sizes; regular price $1.50. 79¢

Children's Drawers—Made of good wearing cotton, trimmed with hamburg and tucks; regular price 25c.... 15¢

Sateen Petticoats — Black, plain colors and figured patterns—
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Reg. price $2.00...$1.69

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Reg. price 79c.....50¢

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Reg. price 79c.....50¢
Reg. price $1.00.....79¢
Reg. price $1.50.....98¢
Reg. price $2.00....$1.39

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FRESH KILLED FOWL, lb. .....48¢
SMALL CHICKENS, lb. .....45¢
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CORES OF GENUINE LAMB, lb. .....35¢

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ORANGE JELLY, can .....21¢
FANCY PRUNES .....3 Lbs. for 25¢
ARGO RED SALMON, can .....30¢
VAN CAMP'S TOMATO SOUP .....10¢
CRISCO, lb. .....20¢
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Fruit Cakes, doz. .....20¢
Mocha Cakes .....50¢
Sponge Cake .....25¢
Raisin Bread .....12½¢
Coffee Rings .....15¢
Fruit Cake, lb. .....29¢
Macaroons, doz. .....15¢

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ELABORATE STILL IN OPERATION

Federal Agents Arrest Harvard Professor on Charge of Making Liquor

Home in Back Bay, Boston, Raided—Still and Moonshine Seized

BOSTON, April 29.—Louis Agassiz Shaw, assistant instructor in applied physiology at the Harvard Medical school, was arrested by federal authorities today, charged with manufacturing liquor at his home at 5 Marlboro street, in the Back Bay section of the city.

Prohibition agents who raided the house said they found an elaborate still in operation on the top floor in a room adjoining the ballroom. They seized the apparatus together with five gallons of moonshine which they described as an excellent product. Fifty gallons of mash was destroyed. At the request of Shaw, they said, the still was carried out of a rear door and taken away in a taxicab.

A summons was served on Shaw for his appearance at the federal building where a warrant was served on him and he was arraigned. He pleaded not guilty and was released in $500 cash bail, a hearing being set for May 6.

The agents described the still as one of the finest that had come to their attention. It consisted they said of a copper boiler with a 10-foot coil and galvanized condenser. They were told, they said, that the liquor was frequently served at dances and other social affairs.

Shaw has maintained a private research laboratory at his Marlboro street address.

PUBLISHERS RE-ELECT PRES. WILLIAMS

NEW YORK, April 29.—T. R. Williams of the Pittsburg Press was reelected president of the American Newspaper Publishers' association at its annual convention here today. Howard Davies of the New York Tribune, was elected treasurer.

Other officials re-elected were: Vice president, Paul Patterson, Baltimore Sun; secretary, John Stewart Bryan, Richmond News-Leader; directors, Elbert H. Baker, Cleveland Plain-Dealer; E. H. Butler, Buffalo News and Hilton U. Brown, Indianapolis News.

FRANCE WANTS DIRECT ACTION

Premier Briand Leaves for London Conference With Full Support of Nation

To Demand "Direct Action" In Enforcing Penalties Against Germany

PARIS, April 29—Premier Briand left for London early today to attend the meeting of the Supreme Allied council on Saturday. He will appear before that body with the support of the French parliament, public and press, which is unanimous in demanding "direct action" in enforcing penalties against Germany in default of her paymet of reparations.

"No previous conference of the Supreme council has opened with such an atmosphere of confidence and hope," said the Journal this morning. "The position of France is well defined and is very strong. The expressed determination of the government is strengthened by the united manifestations of parliament and public opinion."

The cabinet council met yesterday and reached a final decision on the attitude to be taken by the representatives of France at the London conference. It also finished consideration of measures to be taken for the occupation of the Ruhr region.

Lloyd George Would Delay

PARIS, April 29—Prime Minister Lloyd George of Great Britain would consent to the occupation of the Ruhr district of Germany only after an ultimatum, granting a certain amount of delay, had been sent to Germany, says the London correspondent of the Matin. It is declared he takes this attitude in order to appease those inclined against penalties."

Three Powers Reject Offer

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The status of negotiations regarding counter pro-

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GAME POSTPONED

BOSTON, April 29. (American.)—New York-Boston game postponed—Cold.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., April 29.—(National)—Philadelphia-Brooklyn game postponed, rain.

RUSH TO AID LINER ASHORE

Portuguese Steamer, With 448 Passengers Aboard, Went Aground in Fog

Said To Be Leaking Badly, But Not In a Dangerous Position

BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., April 22.—The Portuguese steamer Mormugao, bound from Lisbon for New York, with 448 passengers, went ashore on Black Rock on the west side of Block Island in a thick fog early today. Captain Teal of the coast guard station reported that the vessel was leaking but was not in a dangerous position.

Unless a shift in the wind came, it was believed the vessel could be floated easily with the aid of tugs that were sent for. The passengers, nearly all Portuguese immigrants, were to stay aboard for the time being at least. The wind was southeast and blowing about 25 miles an hour with negative effect on the stranded steamer.

Attention of the coast guards was first attracted to the packet ship soon after daylight by continued whistling. They could barely make her out through the fog. Captain Teal and his crew, who went out to her immediately, said they found her about a mile off shore apparently resting lightly on the low rocks that run out from the larger Black rock. She had pounded a little and started her seams slightly, but danger of further damage was not considered great under prevailing conditions.

The Mormugao, commanded by Capt. Vidinko, is a steamer of 3813 tons. She sailed from Lisbon on April 12, and touched at Fayal, in the Azores, on April 20.

Cutter Rushes to Assistance

BOSTON, April 29.—The coastguard cutter Acushnet at Provincetown was ordered to proceed immediately to the assistance of the Portuguese packet steamer Mormugao ashore on Block Island, by coast guard headquarters today. The message from the coastguard station at Block Island said the Mormugao's forehold was full of water, but gave no other details.

The Isle of Pines promises to become an important producer of iron, copper and other ores, as 11 mines have been located.

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Seamen to Lay Case Before President

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Failing to reach an agreement with the shipping board and American Steamship owners on a basis for readjusting wages and working conditions in conference here today, representatives of the unions announced that they would lay their case before President Harding.

American Tennis Star Wins

LONDON, April 29.—(By the Associated Press)—C. S. Cutting, the American court tennis star, today defeated C. E. Tatham, the English veteran, 6-1, 6-1, 6-2, in the third round for the amateur court tennis championship of Great Britain. The matches are being played at the Queen's club here.

BUTTON DAY FOR IRISH RELIEF

Young Women Will Conduct Campaign for Donations Here Tomorrow

Additional Subscriptions Announced Today—Important Meeting This Evening

Bright and early tomorrow morning 600 young women of this city will begin a campaign of solicitation for the Irish relief fund under the auspices of the League of Catholic Women and before the day is over it is hoped that every man, woman and child who ventures on the down-town streets during the day will be wearing a button, indicating that he has contributed to the cause.

Miss Alice T. Lee, president of the league, and Mrs. John T. Donohue, who form the committee in charge, announced this noon that preparations for the affair had been completed and that all indications pointed to a big success and a substantial addition to the local fund. In the event of rain, the button day will be postponed until the following Saturday.

The buttons which will be given to all contributors will have the name of the American Commission for Irish Relief inscribed on them. Subscriptions from one cent upward will be received.

Headquarters of the day will be at the office of the League of Catholic Women in the Harrington building and in addition the following substations will be maintained for the convenience of the workers: St. Michael's guild hall, St. Columba's hall, St. Patrick's school hall; Immaculate

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LIQUOR CASES IN COURT

Proprietors of Three Local Near-Beer Establishments Arraigned Today

Three local near-beer establishments kept something nearer than near-beer, according to the testimony of liquor officers in the police court this morning, and three defendants were assessed $100 fines. While the trio all pleaded guilty, one of the defendants declined to contribute the century to the municipal coffers without an appeal, and was balled in the sum of $300 for the superior court. On the same docket the other end of the prohibition question was represented by a bevy of drunks, one of whom, a woman, was sent to the state farm as an old offender, while two others were fined, several had their cases filed, and four were released by Probation Officer Slattery prior to the opening of the court session. The case of Levi T. Steeves, who conducts a drug store at Lincoln square, was continued for a third time, in order that a second test may be made of grain alcohol which it is claimed he sold illegally to a representative of the police.

Philip Sullivan, the owner of a near-beer resort on Thorndike street, was advised by Judge Enright to vacate the premises he now occupies for

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TWO MEN IN ARGUMENT JUMP OVER BRIDGE

NEW YORK, April 29.—Two men, engaged in argument, walked to the middle of the Lenox avenue bridge over the Harlem river last midnight and in the presence of a number of boys who followed them, climbed the railing and jumped.

Attracted by the boys' shouts, a bridge engineer ran to the railing. He said he saw the men struggling for a spell then disappear. Police later recovered one of the bodies. It was identified as that of Jack Langton, 24 years old.

I. W. W. Leaders Convicted of Anti-Government War Time Plots Have Jumped Their Bond

HUGHES AND LODGE LEAVING WHITE HOUSE

Secretary of State Hughes and Senator Lodge, head of the foreign relations committee, were snapped in characteristic attitudes as they left the White House after conferring with President Harding on the German reparations notes.

SEC. HUGHES STILL HOPEFUL

Said to See Possibility of Reopening of Negotiations On Reparations

President and Cabinet Understood to Have Discussed Situation Today

WASHINGTON, April 29—President Harding and his cabinet are understood to have discussed the German reparations proposals again today, Secretary Hughes, laying before them the views of the principal allied powers with regard to the offer. Meantime the American reply to the German communication was held up.

While the cabinet was considering the question, it became known that Great Britain and Italy had not definitely rejected the German offer as unacceptable as a basis for negotiations. It was understood, however, that the French and Belgian views as transmitted to Mr. Hughes were that the terms were unacceptable.

According to information in usually well informed quarters, Secretary Hughes still is hopeful that negotiations between the allies and Germany can be reopened. It is said that even if a final decision is not reached before the French begin to move into additional German territory the exchanges can continue after that time.

HURLED TO HIS DEATH

Chicopee Auto Driver Instantly Killed and Two Companions Seriously Injured

AMHERST, April 29.—Danina Robidieux of Chicopee, owner and driver of an automobile, was instantly killed and two companions were seriously injured when the car was overturned early today after crossing a bridge over Mill river, between this town and Holyoke. Though the exact cause of the accident is unknown, it is believed that a sharp curve in the highway together with high speed was responsible. Robidieux's body was thrown some distance. Charles Grandchamp and James B. Couture, both of Holyoke, are in a Holyoke hospital.

MASS NOTICE

An anniversary high mass for the repose of the souls of Raymond Chappelle and Eugene Tansey, offered by Comrades Buckley, Hines, Devereaux, Rourke, Draddy and Clark of H Co., 355th Infantry, will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church Saturday, April 30, at 8 a. m.

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FIREWORKS IN POLICE COURT

Local Lawyers Indulge in Mutual Abuse of Each Other

In Trial of Case Today—Judge Enright Halts Pyrotechnic Display

Benjamin Cohen, a student at the Massachusetts school of Optometry, and a resident of Ware street, was arraigned in police court today on a charge of assault and battery on 11-year-old Saul Schulman. The hearing was replete with mutual abuse of each other by counsel for both sides. One of the remarks of the defendant's attorney so incensed his brother lawyer that the latter made a heated comment to the effect that he "wouldn't dare say that outside of court." "I'll say it anywhere in the world," shouted his opponent, who shortly afterwards appealed to Judge Enright to compel young Schulman's attorney to cease from "making sotto voice remarks." His Honor responded to this plea by warning counsel for both sides that the pyrotechnics "must stop."

The case was continued to Saturday, May 7, for disposition, over the protests of Schulman senior, who proclaimed pious scruples against appearing in court on the Jewish sabbath. The

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FAIL TO REPORT TO SERVE TERMS

Federal Officers in Final Check Up Discover Real Leaders Among Missing

Believed to be Now Engaged in Furthering Revolutionary Ideas

Nine of the 47 Convicted Men at Liberty—Others at Penitentiary or on Way

CHICAGO, April 29.—The real leaders in the group of Industrial Workers of the World convicted for anti-government war-time conspiracies have jumped their bond and now are believed to be furthering revolutionary ideas, federal officials said today after a final check up of the 47 men who were to report to the Leavenworth, Kas., penitentiary following refusal of the United States supreme court to review their cases.

Nine Still at Liberty

Nine convicted men are at lib-

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ST. RAILWAY SITUATION

Mayor and Other Members of the Lowell City Council at State House Today

Mayor Perry D. Thompson and other members of the municipal council left Lowell shortly after noon today for Boston where they were to meet Governor Cox at 3 o'clock to request him to have the trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co. arbitrate their differences with employes of the road.

Locally, there was no material change in the situation which threatens to bring about a strike of employes of the company here next Monday. Thomas J. Powers, president of the local union, was in Boston in connection with negotiations whereby it is hoped at least to delay and, if possible, to avoid the threatened strike.

Preparations on the part of the local

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Try Our Home Made Pork Sausage, lb. 25c	Pure Lard In Packages, lb. 14c	Try Our Home-Made Tomato Sausage, lb. 22c
Fancy Sirloin Steak, lb. 38c	Best Top Round Steak, lb. 45c	Choice Cut Rump Steak, lb. 55c

LEG AND LOIN OF BABY LAMB, lb. 25c
VERY TENDER

FANCY BRISKET CORNED BEEF, lb. ... 16c

Choice Cuts of Chuck Roast Beef, lb. 16c

Fresh Ground Hamburg, lb. 12½c	Honeycomb Pocket Tripe, lb. 15c	Good Salt Spare Ribs, lb. 10c
Top Rib Roast Beef, best quality, lb. ... 28c	Bottom Round, to roast, lb. 32c	Edge Bones, very meaty, lb. 15c
Large Can Tomatoes, heavy pack, can... 10c	Campbell's Beans, 2 cans for 25c	Canned Corn, very choice, can 10c

HAYMARKET BRAND BACON, lb. 23c

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Basket of Fancy Strawberries, full quarts ..35c Basket

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Compound for Shortening, lb. 10c	Common Onions, 15 lbs. for 25c	Texas Onions, 4 lbs. for 25c
Honey Suckle Rhubarb, lb. 7c	Dried Beef, lb. 65c	Sliced Ham, very choice, lb. 35c
Libby's Large Jar Olives 25c	Choice Canned Peaches, can 25c	Gold Medal Flour, bag $1.32

OAKDALE CREAMERY BUTTER, lb. 41c

FANCY GRAPEFRUIT ..... 10c Each
Thin Skinned and Full of Juice—Not Pithy and Dry Inside

BONELESS SIRLOIN, Choice Cuts, lb. 35c

NICE LARGE HEAD LETTUCE, Not the Small, Soft, Squashy Kind, 20c	SUNKIST NAVEL ORANGES, Doz. 35c

Alabama New Cabbage, lb. 5c	New Carrots, bunch 5c	No. 1 Wine Sap Apples, 3 lbs. for 25c
Fresh Tomatoes, very choice, lb. 22c	Fancy Asparagus, bunch 35c	Choice Butter Beans, qt. 18c

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Substitute for Bone Black Discovered

WILMINGTON, Del., April 29.—Discovery of a satisfactory substitute for bone black, or bone char, the standard material used in decolorizing and refining sugar and various liquids, syrups and oils, was announced today by the Atlas Powder Co. Scientists have searched for 60 years for such a substance, it was said.

The powder company announced it was planning to manufacture the new product on a large scale in a 5000-ton plant and that in extensive commercial tests with sugar, maltose and oil the substance has been proved from 25 to 30 times as efficient as bone char. It will even permit the making of white granulated sugar directly at the raw sugar mill, the announcement said. Success of American chemists in developing the product is attributed to the impetus given chemical research during the world war. The substance is manufactured from cheap carbonaceous raw material such as lignite, which is uniformly carbonized under conditions preventing the pores of the raw material being clogged by the deposit of secondary carbon.

BRITAIN'S NEW PLAN FOR IRISH REPRISALS

DUBLIN, April 29.—The military authorities in destroying four business premises at Listowel, in official reprisal for the murder of Sir Arthur Vicars, ex-Ulster king-of-arms, has issued a proclamation which is quoted by the Listowel correspondent of the Freeman's Journal, as declaring:

"For any outrages in the future against the lives or property of loyalist officials, reprisals will be taken against selected persons known to have rebel sympathies, although the fact of their implication has not been proved."

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If you are handy with your needle you can make of black taffeta and white organdie some neckwear which the very smartest of women are wearing.

OUR PUBLIC UTILITIES

Government and Municipal Ownership Will Not Solve Problems, Says Hurley

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 29.—Government and municipal ownership will not solve the country's public utilities problems, Edward N. Hurley, Chicago manufacturer and former head of the shipping board, today told the delegates to the ninth annual convention of the United States chamber of commerce.

He advised the public utilities companies and the public to get together and "iron out their troubles and wipe out any doubt or distrust that lingers."

"Government operation in industrial service," said Mr. Hurley, "is a flat failure from a service to the public standpoint. This is not only true in America, but it is a proven fact throughout the world.

"I am convinced that it will be found that the lack of personal efficiency under municipal or governmental industrial ownership spells financial failure for the enterprise.

"When public utilities realize what high grade service means and what effect such a service in its operation has upon its customers and the public, then the question of municipal or governmental ownership will gradually drop into the background and the public recognition of the difficulties and the need for encouragement and liberality will quickly aid in the solution of this national problem."

The American people "must realize that confidence in public utility securities cannot be had by constant, unjust criticism," Mr. Hurley said.

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BERNSTORFF DEFENDS GERMAN NOTE TO U. S.

BERLIN, April 29.—Criticism leveled at the German cabinet's appeal to President Harding in the reparations question was calculated to weaken still further the position of German diplomacy abroad, declared Count von Bernstorff, former ambassador to the United States, in his maiden speech before the reichstag yesterday. Supporting the German note to Washington, the former ambassador deprecated the temper of the debate.

"The democratic party to which I belong," he said, "has contemplated with profound regret the discussion going on in this parliament yesterday and today. At a time when the fatherland is in dire distress, when we are immediately threatened with the gravest coercive measures, we are indulging in heated partisan discussion instead of realizing national unity, which alone will enable us to overcome the menace with which we are confronted.

"The United States is actuated chiefly by economic motives in its treatment of European problems. America cannot possibly be interested in seeing Germany dismembered or deprived of territory which is now coveted in the western quarters of Europe. To expect far-reaching political aid from the United States, I believe, would be an error. The present issue, however, is not purely political, but it involves the principle firmly establishing the solidarity of the interests of all nations.

"Proof of this may be found in prevailing world conditions. The United States is overstocked with raw materials which we badly need. The thought of solidarity of nations, however, involves the principle that the negotiations be conducted on a basis of equality. The imposition of the penalties with which we are threatened would be tantamount to a resurrection of the state of war. Under these conditions, we feel we were justified in making an 11th-hour appeal to arbitration. To this end, we proposed giving the United States an opportunity to propagate the principle to which its present as well as its former administrations have fully subscribed."

In the course of his speech, the former ambassador referred to American relief work carried on in Germany.

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ENJOYABLE PARTY

On Wednesday evening, April 27th, a very enjoyable party was held at the home of Miss Helen Ivers, 80 Third street. The young folks gathered shortly after eight, and games were enjoyed until 9.30. Refreshments were then served. A musical program was carried out as follows: The solos were rendered by the Misses Molley Ivers and Alice McPadden, while the piano selections were given by Eleanor McPadden, Helen Ivers, Rolande Murnier, Mildred Gaffney, Richard Burit, and Clifford Malo. A reading "Rossa" was given by Florence Baxter. Archie Keith, last but not least, proved to be the life of the party. The party broke up at an early hour and each guest received a souvenir of the occasion.

WANTS U. S. ARMY OF 175,000

Chairman Kahn Declares Enlisted Force of 168,000 Too Small

To Offer Amendment to Army Appropriation Bill Calling for Increase

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Chairman Kahn of the military affairs committee told the house today that an enlisted force of 168,000 men, as fixed by the army appropriation bill, was too small and that at the proper time he would offer an amendment increasing the number to 175,000.

"I am not an alarmist, I am not afraid of war, but we all know that world conditions are unsettled," he declared, "and in the interest of true economy, in the interest of the welfare of the country, I shall appeal to the membership of this house to support such an amendment."

Citing the fact that Japan and China both had much larger armies than this country, the California representative said that in proportion to population, only Colombia and Paraguay had smaller armies than the United States.

"Thousands of our fellow citizens believe," said Mr. Kahn, "that this country by its action in the way of reducing its army can bring about international disarmament without any difficulty. Some months have elapsed since we reduced our forces. I have seen no indication anywhere that any other nation in the world is making efforts to follow our footsteps. Therefore, I consider it the part of wisdom, at least for the present, to maintain a force the minimum of which will be 175,000 enlisted men."

Answering the demand for reduction of government expenses, Mr. Kahn declared the secretary of war could be trusted absolutely to cut expenses whenever possible without injury to the military establishment.

"It seems to me the facts are so palpable that no one at this time ought to want to cripple our military establishment," Mr. Kahn declared. "We have grave international questions which our state department is trying to solve. We hope they will be solved with honor and credit to our government. During the pendency of these matters and in their solution, no individual can foretell what is going to happen. I for one believe we can afford to be prepared for any possible emergency, and I think the American people will approve the increase in our enlisted force."

EFFORTS OF THE LABOR UNIONS CONDEMNED

NEW YORK, April 29—Efforts of labor unions to fix the selling prices of articles were condemned yesterday by the annual convention of the American Newspaper Publishers' association and members were urged not to be stampeded into buying newsprint by threats of predictions of higher prices.

The resolution on price fixing aimed at conditions in photo-engraving such as led to legislation recently in New York state, reads:

"The American Newspaper Publishers' association in convention assembled views with concern the effort of labor unions to fix the selling price to the consumer of articles or products; and therefore resolves that the fixing of a minimum selling base of any article or product used in the conduct of trade, commerce or manufacture is destructive of competition tends to create a monopoly and is detrimental to the best interests of all citizens."

The resolution on newsprint, calling attention to recent increase in production, expressed the opinion that the present supply on the American continent was largely in excess of consumption and that consumption this year would be less than last year.

The present contract price of newsprint is, in the opinion of the committee, the price not determined by manufacturing costs but by previous competitive conditions which do not now obtain.

"In view of the present situation with respect to available production, supply and consumption, your committee recommends to the members of the A.N.P.A. that they be not stampeded into purchases on the spot market or under contract by selling threats and predictions of higher prices, etc."

Members were urged to consult the association's paper committee before making new commitments in the spot or contract market and to report all quotations to the committee. The resolution urged co-operative buying by sectional groups of smaller consumers and emphasized the necessity of continuing conservation as the most effective method of restoring normal price levels and preventing waste.

Button Day for Irish Relief

Continued

Conception school; Fred H. Rourke's office, Central street, and the Sacred Heart school hall.

During the forenoon the canvassers will confine their efforts to the residential sections in the various parishes of the city and in the afternoon and evening they will be on the down-town streets and in the theatres. They will not visit office buildings. The "button day" will continue from 6 in the morning to 9 o'clock at night. The receipts will be turned over to the Middlesex Safe Deposit & Trust Co. to be counted.

Each parish will be in charge of a captain, who will be responsible for the conduct of the drive in her district. A number of automobiles have been offered for use in the outlying districts. Peter J. McKenna and Fred H. Rourke will each contribute two machines and Mrs. John T. Donehue and Bernard Callahan, one machine each. Others are expected before the drive begins.

The "button day" will mark the end of the Irish relief drive all over the state.

Meeting Tonight

Tonight at 7.30 in Elks hall there will be a meeting of the general committee in charge of the campaign to raise $45,000 here and it is expected that returns will be made to give the committee an idea of just how far from its quota Lowell now is.

The big carnival being held at the Kasino continues to draw large crowds and the special attraction of a children's day tomorrow afternoon is being looked forward to eagerly by the youngsters of the city. The committee in charge has arranged for several novel specialties for tonight and tomorrow night.

Additional Contributions

Treasurer Stephen Flynn today acknowledged the following additional contributions to the local campaign fund:

Patrick Henry Council, A.A.R.I.R., Chelmsford Centre, Mary F. Hill, Treasurer	$100
Gerald Cahill	100
Rourke Family	50
Thomas F. Kelley	25
A Friend	12
A Friend	10
Mr. and Mrs. John Mulryan	10
John J. Sullivan	10
Joseph A. Legare	10
Bernard Tully	5
Bryan McFadden	5
Mrs. Mary Gleason	5
Alice Conotan	5
J. D. Finnegan	5
Mrs. Mary Gleason	2

WOMEN COULD DO MORE THAN OFFICERS

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Women "with positive conversational powers" can make a bigger dent in retail prices than the whole department of justice machinery, Attorney General Daugherty declared yesterday. A squad of women so equipped could do more with a dealer than the government, he said, adding that retail prices remained up despite the slump in wholesale figures, leaving profits in which he could see no reason, in meats and other household commodities.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Frederick W. Battersby and Miss Alice V. Bowman were married yesterday afternoon at St. Margaret's church, the officiating clergyman being the pastor, Rev. C. J. Galligan. The bridesmaid was Miss Mary Ellen Burke, while the best man was Mr. Clarence J. Barrows.

CHELMSFORD STREET HOSPITAL

There are 267 patients at the Chelmsford Street hospital at the present time. The gardening season is now on in full swing on the grounds surrounding the hospital. A large quantity of peas have been planted and ground has been turned for potatoes.

DELINQUENT HUSBAND

Joseph Savignac was brought before Judge Enright in police court today charged with non-support of his wife and two children. Mrs. Savignac told of one of her little ones being in the hospital, while she is caring for the other from her own earnings, receiving no financial assistance from the defendant in spite of a court order that he contribute $4 a week. Savignac was arrested on a capias warrant when he disregarded the decree of the court. He was ordered to the house of correction for four months, suspension of a former sentence being revoked. His wife will benefit to the extent of $3 a week paid by the county.

France Wants Direct Action

Continued

posals on reparations put forward by Germany was expected to be reported by Secretary Hughes today to President Harding upon the latter's return from Hampton Roads where yesterday he reviewed the Atlantic fleet.

Since the departure Wednesday of the executive on the yacht Mayflower Secretary Hughes has discussed the situation with the diplomatic representatives of Great Britain, France and Belgium and received the views of their governments.

Although official announcement on the conversations has been withheld, it is understood, the secretary was informed that the three powers regard the German offer in its present form as unacceptable. It is not known whether suggestions were made that Germany be asked to submit new and more liberal terms.

Secretary Hughes has not yet heard from the Italian and Japanese governments and no reply has been made to the German communication.

Await Word From United States

PARIS, April 29.—Dr. von Oertzen, temporary president of the German war burdens commission, told the Excelsior last night he was unable to express a view of the subject of the demand by the reparations commission of 132,000,000,000 gold marks as the total damages for which reparations is due from Germany.

"Before giving an opinion," he said, "it would be advisable to await the result of the negotiations in which Germany is engaged with the United States. No one can foresee what will happen, and any hour may modify events."

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Fine Line of Sport Hats—All new colors, rolled or straight brims.

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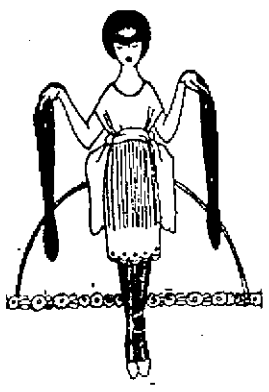

Women's Thread Silk, full fashioned lisle or silk tops $2.00

Women's Pure Dye Silk Stockings, lisle tops and soles, also fancy stripes $1.25

Women's Pure Dye Silk Stockings, fancy clock, $1.50

Women's Cotton Lisle, black and cordovan stockings 24c

Children's Fine Ribbed Cotton Hose, in black, white and cordovan, 25c

Children's Fine Mercerized Socks, fancy colored tops, all sizes, 35c

Children's High Grade Cotton Stockings, all sizes, no seconds 15c

BLOUSES

New Cotton Blouses, regular and stout figures. Many models have dainty ruffles, long sleeves, with fancy turn-back cuffs, $2.98

White Voile Blouses—Stout sizes, 45 to 51 bust measure, long sleeves, trimmed with fine quality lace. Some have pin tucking, button front styles, excellent values.... $2.98

New Mignonette Over-Blouses with braid trimming to match, three-quarter length sleeves, round neck, $4.98

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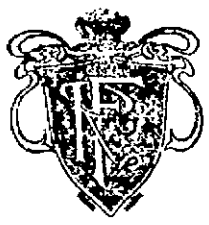

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TURKISH HAREMS ARE PASSING OUT

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 29.—The Turkish harem is quickly passing as a part of the Turkish home. Poverty and the need for house room are the causes.

The Turkish pashas, effendis, beys and all the well-to-do of other days whose homes were divided into the harem and the haremlik, that is, one-half of a mansion or palace for the women and the other for the men, are parting with this luxury as they have parted with their carriages, horses, jewels and lands. The peasants still keep a division of their houses for the privacy of their wives and daughters and children.

Many Turkish women deplore the necessity which compels them to live like the "poor European." They declare that they were happier when living apart, that the home was easier to manage and their husbands, too.

In Constantinople the majority of the private houses show this division, but the chance to rent one side of the house, or else the requisitions, of allied troops, has caused families to live together in only one-half of their home.

Foreigners are getting for the first time a peep into the more aristocratic of these old homes, until now hidden in the mystery of protecting garden walls, latticed windows and huge gates or doorways. The visit often reveals a charming interior, with room, walls and ceilings decorated with fresco paintings and mosaics showing views of mosques, mountains, seas, forests, or rovers of the old empire.

As the homes are vacated, their elaborate European furniture, together with much of the collections of brocades, gossamer silks and fine rugs are sold at auctions held in the house or else sent to the dealers or auction room of the old Bazaar.

New York city has more school children than North Dakota has total population.

CINOT EXPERT SAYS HE IS CONVINCED THAT A LOWELL MAN IS CHAMPION

Mr. J. S. Stratton of 3 Webster Street, Lowell, Mass., and a Resident for Twenty-six Years and a Checker Player of Local Fame Gladly Indorses CINOT

"Mr. Stratton," says the Cinot expert, "is not only a champion checker player but he knows a good medicine when he takes it and judges it by the results he gets." Mr. Stratton says:

"I have felt for the past three weeks that I needed a good Spring Tonic and blood purifier as I have felt the effects of Spring. I felt tired out and weak and had no appetite at all and it seemed that I was tired even on arising in the morning."

"I guess most everyone feels this way in the Spring and they need a remedy to brace them up and as nature furnishes the best remedy I looked around for a herbal one and am glad to say that I found it in CINOT and after taking two bottles I have received wonderful results and am glad to indorse CINOT to my friends and I know if they take it they will be as well satisfied as I am."

CINOT IS BEING DEMONSTRATED IN LOWELL BY AN EXPERT AT DOWS' DRUG STORE, MERRIMACK SQ., AND IS FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.—Adv.

AMERICAN SHOWS WAY OUT OF DEADLOCK

COBLENZ, April 29.—America's representation on the interallied Rhineland commission, while described as unofficial, wields as much influence in a consultative capacity upon the decisions taken by the commission as that of the three allied countries officially represented, according to Mr. Rolyn-Jacquemyns, Belgian high commissioner on the Rhine.

General Allen, acting in his dual capacity of commander of the American Forces in Germany and representative of the department of state, attends every sitting of the commission or, when unable to be present, is represented by Colonel Stone of Mississippi. No decisions are taken without having been first submitted to the American representatives and in many cases American suggestions have been acted upon and have caused agreements to be reached when it seemed as if a hopeless deadlock was to be feared.

Lately, when the question of the application of the new customs regime in the occupied zone, decided upon at the London conference on March 3 was discussed, the British and the French points of view were very far apart. After a few days' discussion, General Allen's opinion was asked.

The discussion had been somewhat acrimonious and General Allen, while not indorsing unreservedly either point of view, proposed a medium solution. To the French who were advocating the sternest measures, he said: "You can'et get both steak and milk from the same cow."

To the British he demonstrated that better results might be obtained by adopting another course and after a few hours discussion upon details of execution, the commission drafted its report which was sent to the council of ambassadors the next day.

The American's viewpoint upon a momentous question of penalties was adopted.

It is the consensus of opinion among delegations to the Rhineland commission that America's participation in the deliberations of the commission has had a restraining influence upon extremists in both French and German officialdom.

FISH THAT SEES AND FEELS WITH FEET

By E. E. FREE

The starfish is deserving of more respect than he commonly receives.

His brilliant reds and yellows and irridescent greens and browns are decorative in his native pools and even after his dried and faded remains grow dusty on the whatnot of some inland parlor.

But beauty is not his only claim to notice. He is an animal of very ancient lineage, and he not only feels but sees with his feet.

As everyone knows, the complexities of brain and nerves and senses, of heart and blood vessels, of stomach and digestive system which the human species enjoys are the result of ages of evolution.

And nearly all of these things are present in rudimentary form in the starfish.

If you have seen only a dried starfish you probably have never seen his feet. But if you gently pry loose from the rock a good-sized live one and hold him for a moment just beneath the water surface and so that you can see his under side, you will notice coming out from the under surface of each arm and waving about in the water a great number of whitish tube-like projections perhaps as thick as the lead of a pencil and an inch or so long. These are the feet.

At the end of each tube is a tiny sucker and by these the starfish fastens himself to the rock or pulls himself along.

And curiously enough these tube-feet are the only organs of sense which the starfish is known to possess. From each little tube-foot a thread of a nerve runs to the central nervous ring.

When a foot touches anything information goes at once to the main nerve centre and other feet can be pushed out to take hold of it and bring it, if it be good to eat, to a position where it can be devoured.

At the extreme end of each of the arms of the starfish is a single tube-foot which is especially sensitive and well provided with nerves and at the base of this end foot is a still more highly developed nervous spot, which is the eye.

NARRAGANSETT BAY BASE OF SQUADRON

NEWPORT, R. I., April 29.—Narragansett bay is to be the base of the destroyer squadron of the Atlantic fleet this summer. The rendezvous will bring 150 destroyers and auxiliary vessels to these waters. Five destroyers have already arrived.

The main fleet of destroyers, it has just been announced, will leave Charleston, S. C., their winter base, on May 15, and proceed to New York for a stay of two weeks to permit the crews to have shore liberty. The squadron, under command of Rear Admiral A. H. Robertson, will then proceed to Narragansett bay, arriving about June 5.

COMING DOWN

The hem line is descending—this is the word from Paris. And every dress which can find an excuse for doing so wears a train, you'll find. Sometimes they are simply long tassels which drag their luxurious weight from the ends of a sash.

FRECKLE-FACE

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots, How to Remove Easily

Here's a chance. Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable concern that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this strength is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

THIRD FLOOR

The Bon Marché DRY GOODS CO.

Take Elevators

Announcing the Opening of a Special 5c, 10c, 15c and 20c

Wall Paper Section

The goods in this department are taken from our regular stock of absolutely perfect wall papers, made by the finest factories in the country.

ONLY THE VERY BEST OF STOCK IS USED IN THEIR MANUFACTURE

The colors are bright and clean. The designs are clever, because these goods are well made, well colored, and cleverly designed. They are FAR SUPERIOR to those offered by others at similar prices.

THESE PAPERS ARE PROPERLY DISPLAYED. Many are mounted on swinging wings, showing in combination the paper and border as they would look on your wall. WE CAN AND WILL SHOW YOU A SAMPLE ROLL OF ANY PATTERN.

Included in this department are CHAMBER PAPERS, HALL, PARLOR, DEN, DINING ROOM, KITCHEN, BATH ROOM PAPERS and CEILING

OUR LEADER IN THIS DEPARTMENT IS DUPLEX OATMEALS AT 20c ROLL

This Oatmeal is made by Manitou Paper Co., sold to us as absolutely perfect, and every bundle bears the maker's name.

WE DEFY COMPETITION AT THIS PRICE FOR PERFECT GOODS

Expert Salespeople to help you choose what is best suited for your needs.

All Papers in This Special 5c, 10c, 15c and 20c Department shown with border are sold in combination only.

This new department is part of our regular Wall Paper Department. It has been established in response to a demand by tenement property owners and those who live in houses where the landlord is too stingy to re-paper—oh, yes, there are a lot of them.

In selling these papers at these prices we are meeting all competition, and GOING IT ONE BETTER.

We give you STANDARD GOODS, Well Displayed, Properly Sold, and Delivered FREE OF CHARGE, at the same prices you might pay for goods made by poorer mills.

WE ARE WILLING TO GIVE SAMPLES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COMPARISON. We do this knowing that by comparison you may readily see that our goods are what we claim for them—BETTER MADE.

ONE PRICE prevails in this special department—ONE PRICE TO ALL WHETHER YOU BUY FOR ONE ROOM OR FOR FIFTY.

All mounted samples and all sample rolls are plainly priced. Do other stores mark plainly the selling price?

We are never too busy to properly display sample rolls.

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

Now Going On

A Timely Sale of

Kitchen Furnishings

Timely because it comes just at the time when wanted most, during the Spring house-cleaning period. This sale gives one an opportunity to replenish her kitchen furnishings, that is, to replace the old ones, and to add new ones. Come tomorrow and take advantage of these low prices.

Galvanized WASH TUBS

15 in. 69¢ 18 in. 75¢ 20 in. $1.10 22 in. $1.19 24 in. $1.39

Galvanized Water Pails

10 qts. 29¢ 12 qts. 35¢ 14 qts. 38¢ 16 qts. 45¢

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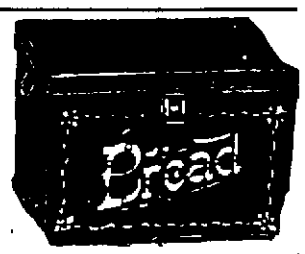
Extra Heavy



The Rid-Jid Open End Folding Ironing Table

Cannot wiggle, wabble, slip or slide, $3.69 Each

Wizard Triangle DUST MOP

Chemically treated.

Extra large $1.98

Roll Top Bread and Cake Boxes

Extra Heavy White Japanned Finish

Size	Length	Width	Height	Price
1½	16 in.	12 in.	12 in.	$4.49
2	19 in.	13 in.	13 in.	$4.98

Florence Automatic Oil Cook Stoves

2 burner size $18.50
3 burner size $25.00
4 burner size $31.50
1 burner Oven, asbestos lined $6.49
2 burner Oven, asbestos lined $7.49
Asbestos Kindlers, each ..... 15¢

Perfection Oil Cook Stoves

2 burner size $18.50
3 burner size $25.00
4 burner size $31.50
1 burner Oven $5.50
2 burner Oven $6.75
No. 21 Perfection Wick and Carrier, ea., 35¢

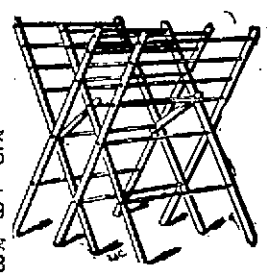
Floor Brooms

No. 6 Daisy, made of good grade corn stock, four rows of stitching, with polished cedar handle, each ..... 69¢

Oblong Splint Clothes Baskets

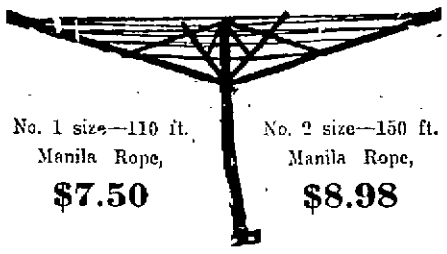
Length	Width	Depth	Price
25 in.	16 in.	13 in.	$1.98
28 in.	18 in.	13 in.	$2.19
30 in.	20 in.	14 in.	$2.39

Folding CLOTHES HORSES



No. 3, 40 ft. drying space $2.25
No. 3½, 50 ft. drying space, $2.59
No. 4, 60 ft. drying space $2.98

Advance Clothes Dryers



No. 1 size—110 ft. Manila Rope, $7.50

No. 2 size—150 ft. Manila Rope, $8.98

Curtain Stretchers

Made of selected basswood, 10 feet long by 5 feet wide, brass pins one inch apart, with measure rule stamped on.

Without easel $3.49
With easel $4.39

Lisk Triple Coated White Enamelware

Every Piece Guaranteed

Baby Bath Tub, $5.25

Convex Sauce Pans, $1.59, $1.80, $2.59, $2.69
Convex Kettles, $1.89, $1.98, $2.59, $2.69, $3.39
Lipped Sauce Pans, 50c, 69c, 75c, 89c, 98c, $1.19
Coffee Pots $1.75, $2.19, $2.39
Tea Pots $1.75, $2.19, $2.39
Pudding Pans, 50c, 69c, 75c, 89c, $1.19, $1.25
Mixing Bowls, 69c, 75c, 98c, $1.25, $1.49, $1.69
Rice Boilers $2.59, $2.98, $3.49
Tea Kettles $2.98, $3.49, $3.98

HOUSEKEEPING HELPS

Window Brushes 98c, $1.10, $1.25
Counter Brushes 35c, 49c, 79c, 98c
Scrub Brushes 25c, 29c, 38c
Feather Dusters ..... 50c to $4.39
Toilet Paper 12½, 18c, 25c
Clothes Lines 50c, 75c, 98c, $1.10
Whisk Brooms 45c, 49c, 69c
Black Wire Screen Paint 30c, 50c, 80c
Egg Beaters 35c, 45c, 50c, 59c, 69c, 75c
Universal Food Choppers $2.49, $2.75, $3.98
Wall Clothes Dryers $1.25, $1.49, $1.75
Dish Drainers 35c, 42c, 49c, 75c, $1.10
Wire Strainers 10c, 12c, 15c, 25c, 38c
Flour Sifters ..... 25c and 45c
Wire Broilers 25c, 29c, 38c, 69c, 75c

Saniflush 25c
Sparkline Silver Polish 25c, 50c
Johnson's Wax 50c, 75c
O'Cedar Polish 30c, 60c, $1.25, $2.00
Liquid Veneer 30c, 60c
Lux, for washing blankets or sweaters .. 12½c
Mend-All Cement 10c
Sutfol Wonder Cloth, for cleaning windows 50c
Lovald's Furniture Polish 25c, 50c, $1.00
Howard Dust Cloths 30c
Lord's Nubiack Stove Polish .... 20c and 35c
Easy Clean Furniture Polish ..... 30c and 50c
Old Dutch Cleanser 10c
Welcome Soap 6½c
Bruce's Liquid Glue 15c

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A Mid-Season Sale

—OF—

Suits
Coats
Wraps
Dresses
Blouses
Raincoats
Girls' Coats

These reductions were not necessary but were the result of a special purchase within the last ten days. The price they were bought at was much lower than the actual cost of materials and manufacturing.

No one can resist buying at this sale, as there's apparel for general utility, for formal and informal wear. No matter how complete your wardrobe you will find it worth your while to come in and pick out one or more garments.

BEGINS TODAY

Navy Blue Suits

$35.00 and $40.00 Navy Blue Suits. Sale price

$25.00

$45.00 and $50.00 Navy Blue Suits. Sale price

$35.00

Velour Wraps

A big assortment of Velour Wraps, in plain and embroidered styles, misses' and ladies' sizes, all colors. These wraps sold for $25.00 and $30.00. Sale price

$15.00

Bolivia Wraps

A nice assortment of Bolivia Wraps, in light and dark colors, embroidered and plain models. Regular prices $40.00 and $45.00. Sale price

$25.00

Raincoats

$10 Black Rubber Raincoats reduced to **$5.00**
$12.50 Raincoats reduced to.....**$7.50**

Girls' Polo Coats

Girls' Polo Coats, sizes 8 to 14 years, in tan and Pekin, pretty models in all sizes. Unusual values at

$10.00, $12.50 and $15.00

Silk Dresses

$25.00

Regular Prices $35.00, $40.00 and $45.00

These dresses are marked less than cost of materials and the making. In this lot are dresses of Taffeta, Crepe de Chine, Canton Crepe, Foulard and Georgette. Mostly one or two of a kind. All colors.

Serge and Tricotine Dresses

—REDUCED—

$25.00 Serge and Tricotine Dresses reduced to **$18.50**

$30.00 Tricotine Dresses reduced to **$22.50**

$35.00 Tricotine Dresses reduced to **$25.00**

$45.00 Tricotine Dresses reduced to **$35.00**

Second Floor

Jersey Sport Coats

$7.50

Regular Price $15.00

A big assortment of Jersey Sport Coats, in the Tuxedo models, all colors. The coats are marked just half the original value.

$30.00 Polo Coats

$18.50

An unusual collection of Sport Coats at prices much lower than present market prices.

Misses' Plaid Sport Coats; regular price $22.50 ..... **$10.00**

Misses' and Women's Polo Coats; regular prices $18.50 to $35.00,

$15.00, $18.50 and $25.00

Over Blouses and Tie-Backs

Georgette Over Blouses in all the new shades, Harding blue, silver grey, bisque, navy, flesh and white, pretty models, with frills and lace trimmings. Special at

$5.00, $7.50, $8.98 and $10.00

Crepe de Chine Over Blouses, heavily beaded with silver beads, others embroidered; colors, silver grey, bisque, flesh and navy, all sizes. Special at **$5.00 to $10.00**

Minuette Tie-Backs, with set-in organdie collar and vest; colors, navy and honeydew. Special at **$5.00**

BILL TO KILL "RACE SUICIDE" CLAUSES

BOSTON, April 29.—The committee on the judiciary yesterday reported a bill to put an end to the "race suicide" clauses which rent profiteers have been including in leases of tenements.

The bill would make unenforcible any clause in a lease which stipulates that rent might be increased because of an increase in the size of the tenant's family, if such increase is due to the birth or adoption of a child or children.

In a recent report by the commission on the necessaries of life it was set forth that certain landlords had written into the leaves a provision that the rent price fixed in the leases would be automatically increased if the size of the tenant's family was increased.

The bill to prevent enforcement of such a clause was reported in the senate yesterday and will come up for consideration on the calendar of that branch today.

NECK LINE

The popular line for the neck is the "decolette a la Vierge." This is the line you've seen in the old paintings of the virgins at Louvre. It is rather higher at the neck and front and falls away at the shoulders.

NEED "S. R. O." SIGN FOR CHOIR CANTATA

If an "S.R.O." sign was not hung out at the First Presbyterian church last night it was very likely because none had been provided for the occasion. The cantata, "Sherwood's Queen," was presented by members of the choir of the church. It was a second performance, and it seemed probable that all who had witnessed the first presentation had urged their friends and relatives to witness the play. People began to arrive early and they continued arriving until after the performance had begun. The vestry of the church in which the cantata was sung has seating accommodations for not more than 250 persons, but fully [illegible] were present to witness the performance. As a result of the success of the evening's entertainment it is being planned to present "Sherwood's Queen" again.

The operetta was produced under the direction of John M. Brown and Mrs. Lillian Dodge Haskell.

COLLARS

As the summer progresses you'll notice on the cooler days that collars will be high. They'll be relieved from "straight-up-ness" by petals, ruches and frills. In some instances there will be fur edgings—say our tailors.

MAPLES HOLD DANCE

A successful dancing party was conducted last evening in Lincoln hall by the Maples. The attendance numbered about 150 and dancing was enjoyed till a seasonable hour. The officers for the evening were James Carroll, general manager; Leo Hurley, door director; J. O'Heir, treasurer; J. Cawley, secretary; William Chell, chief aid; David Edwards and Manuel Fracus, aids.

According to an Italian [illegible] liquefied hydrogen gas is [illegible] fuel for motor vehicles.

Baggage Master Shot—Mail Taken

BAYONNE, N. J., April 29.—Matthew Lyons, baggage master on the Jersey Central Railroad here, was shot and seriously wounded today by one of four men who held up a group of postoffice employes and escaped with three bags of mail, one of which contained registered mail.

10 Killed By Explosion In Cartridge Shop

PAMPLONA, Spain, April 29.—Ten workers were killed and a dozen others badly burned through an accidental explosion last night in the cartridge factory in the outskirts of the town.

Application for New Trial Denied

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 29.—The state supreme court today denied a new trial to A. C. Townley, president of the National Non-Partisan League and Joseph Gilbert, former organization manager of the league, convicted in 1919 on a charge of conspiracy to teach sedition.

Racing Yacht Held Up By Weather

HAMPTON, Va., April 29—The yacht Gar II racing against time from Miami to New York, was prevented by heavy weather from leaving here yesterday. Captain Gar Wood of Detroit, owner of the speed boat, said he will start for New York early today. He expects to finish his trip in 10 hours.

LOUD INDICTED ON MURDER CHARGE

CAMBRIDGE, April 29.—An indictment for first degree murder against Clarence W. Loud, of Melrose, was returned late yesterday by the Middlesex county grand jury after investigation of the shooting of Patrolman James A. Preston at Wakefield, on April 9. Loud has been under arrest since the killing.

Several persons whose names had not been previously mentioned in connection with the investigation were among the witnesses. One of these was Ernest Jacobs, a Wakefield fireman, and another was Louis E. Waitt of Saugus.

The jury also heard testimony from members of a card party which was held at the home of Carl P. Dow in Melrose on the night of April 9. Dow was examined for 20 minutes.

Eben F. Phillips and Robert T. Hay, Melrose men who are reported to have seen Loud at or near his home early in the evening of April 9, and others who have told the police they saw him on his way home some hours later also were heard.

CHAMP LETTER WRITER

CLEVELAND, April 29.—Joe Wood is the champion letter writer of the world champion Indians. His little boy, Joe, Jr., writes his daddy two or three letters daily while the Indians are traveling. Joe answers every one.

Since 1913 the wage cost per ton of producing coal in Great Britain has increased 158 per cent.

SELF-SERVICE GROCERY STORE

Crisco, lb.	17c
Ivory Soap (large)	12c
Mayfield Nut Oleo, lb.	27c
Ralston	24c
Howard's Salad Dressing	30c
Horlick's Malted Milk (large)	72c
R & R Chicken (large)	$1.05
Instant Postum (large)	37c
Lipton's Tea, Red Label (½ can)	35c
Fancy Selected Carton Eggs	35c
Pure Lard, in packages	15c
Meadow Brook Butter	50c
Baker's Sweet Chocolate, cube	10c
Baker's Cocoa (½ lb.)	22½c
Excelity Malt and Hops	$1.10
Quaker Oats (large)	25c
Bensdorp's Cocoa	65c
Chase & Sanborn's Coffee	39c
Fletcher's Castoria	26c
Baker's Premium Chocolate (½ lb.)	22c
Fancy Peaches in heavy syrup	20c
Fair Haven Raspberry	25c
Knox Gelatine	18c
Jello (all flavors)	10c
Marshmallow Mist	26c
Fancy Stuffed Olives	27c
Fancy Cut Beets, No. 3 can	14c
Lily of Valley Golden Bantam Corn	22c
Borden's Eagle Milk	23c
Rumford's Baking Powder (1 lb.)	28c
Dry Yeast, large	20c
Fancy Red Alaska Salmon	30c
Domino Syrup, No. 2 can	14c
B'rer Rabbit Molasses	23c
Blue Karo Syrup	11c
Maple Karo	20c
Molasses (1 gal. can)	65c
Campbell's Beans	10c
Snider's Ketchup	26c
Table Talk Ketchup	9c
Fancy Wet Pack Shrimps	20c
Sunkist Orange Jelly	16c
Hops	39c
Rinso	6½c
Welcome Soap	6c
Lux	10c
Worcester Salt, (10 lb. bag)	28c
Pettijohn	20c
Wheatena	20c

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"WANT" LIST GIVEN BY COMMERCE CHAMBER

That the Lowell chamber of commerce has a nation-wide reputation as a clearing-house to which people with all sorts of "wants" can turn for assistance is shown by a statement issued today by the chamber dealing with "trade expansion opportunities." The statement follows:

Motor truck concern building a complete line of 1, 1½, 2½, and 4 ton models looking for a distributor connection in this city. Company is just completing new plant in Philadelphia which will give increased production of 3000 trucks annually.

Young college man, aged 28, of Pemberton, N. J., now executive and leader in government Americanization project, desires change as his present sphere is too limited. He has had extensive education along the lines of business management, interior economics, reducing labor turnover, chief clerk and executive and public speaking.

Manufacturers' representatives in San Francisco, selling to hardware and automotive jobbing trade and manufacturers, wants new accounts for articles to sell.

Sherbrooke, Quebec, board of trade is looking for a new secretary who would act as industrial commissioner. Wants a "live wire" young man, preferably one who can speak French and English.

Manufacturers' representatives in Mexico prepared to add to those they already represent several firms which want exclusive representation in the republic of Mexico.

Broker representing women's wear and theatrical interests looking for buildings for sale or lease, or store on lease, in this city. Wants only highest class locations in the busiest thoroughfares.

Rapid transit company operating special freight trains in Mexico desires to get in touch more closely with any factories in this city which are carload shippers.

Young man, now secretary to the manager of a manufacturing plant doing an export business wishes to enter the selling line, independently. He is now in Richmond, Va., and is ready to consider a proposition with any manufacturers who desire representation in Richmond and contiguous territory. He claims financial ability to carry stock of goods and provide facilities for handling.

Members of the Colorado State Teachers' college making a study of methods of giving vocational guidance to children and preparing a suggestive course of study wants to get printed material on Lowell industries. Wishes terms on which she may secure exhibits showing various products.

A customer is ready to buy outright a small manufacturing business requiring an investment of about $25,000.

Goodell Speaks in Lawrence

William N. Goodell, former president of the local chamber, was one of the principal speakers last night at a "get-together" meeting and smoker of the Lawrence chamber of commerce. The subject of his address was, "How the Chamber of Commerce Works." Secretary-Manager George F. Wells and John M. O'Donoghue, of the local chamber attended the meeting.

FAIL TO SETTLE BRITISH COAL MINERS' STRIKE

LONDON, April 29.—Negotiations for the settlement of the coal strike having become deadlocked, the three parties to the dispute, the miners, the owners and the government, have once more returned to their respective camps to consider who should make the next attempt to negotiate a settlement.

The members of the miners' executive board scattered to the coal fields this morning apparently without expectation of any early adjustment of the difficulty.

"The negotiations are at an end," announced Sir Robert Horne, president of the board of trade, in the house of commons this morning. He deplored the fact that the miners had not accepted the governmental subsidy offer.

"As to the future, no useful predictions can be made," he continued. "We can only hope that the stoppage, which is now disclosed to be for a political object, may soon be terminated."

This conclusion of Sir Robert's remarks came amidst cries of "Nonsense" from representatives of the miners among the members.

Meanwhile the demand for a settlement is spreading among sections of the populace. Fortunately the continued summer-like weather is minimizing the physical inconvenience of the coal scarcity, but the public, seeing the theatres darkened, owing to slack business, the railways and street cars running on skeletonized schedules, and the lighting services cut to the minimum, is becoming apprehensive.

It is not expected, however, that any move will be made toward a settlement until next week as the spokesmen for the miners will not be available for consultations until they have finished their task of feeling out the attitude of the rank and file of the workers.

CHIC CHIC

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

LONG WHITE SKIRTS, with deep flounce of embroidery, in blind and eyelet designs, $1.00

CORSETS, in flesh and white, medium and low bust $1.00

A SAMPLE LOT OF GOWNS and Envelope Chemise, lace and embroidery trimmed..$1.00

COMBINATIONS, of fine material, with dainty embroidery edge...$1.00

5 YDS. "BERKLEY CAMBRIC," special at..$1.00

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A Dollar If a Pocket Breaks

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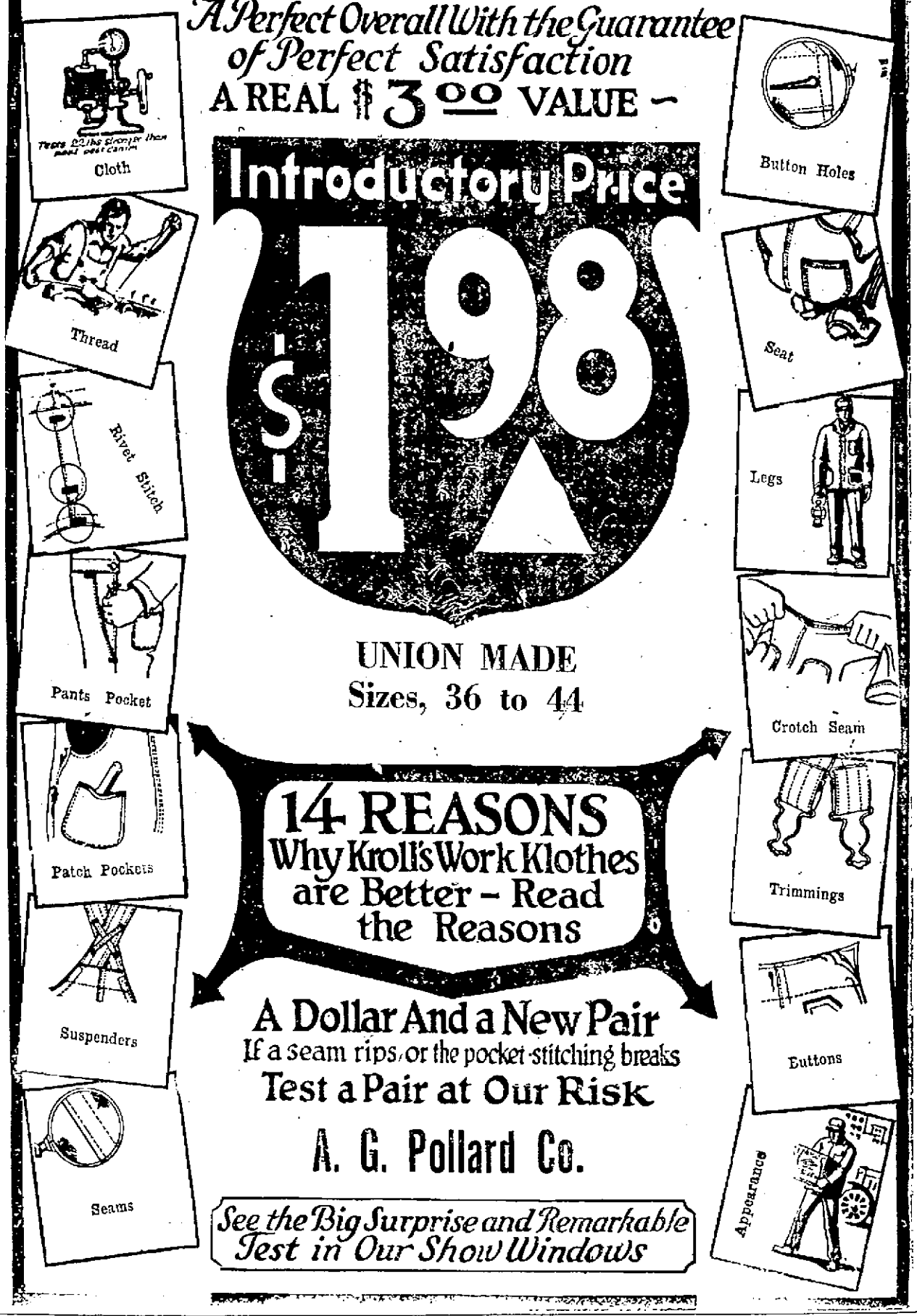

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TRIBUTE TO AMERICAN

Body of R. C. Fairfield, Killed In Italy During War, Transferred to Monument

VENICE, April 29.—The body of Richard Cutts Fairfield, one of the first two Americans killed in Italy during the war, was today transferred to the monument in the Mestre cemetery, near Venice, purposely erected to receive it.

Fairfield left Harvard university at the age of 18 to get into the war, but as the United States had not entered the conflict at the time, he enlisted in the British Red Cross and came to Italy with one of the first contingents. He was killed in 1916 by an Austrian bomb while transporting wounded at Mestre.

Italian soldiers and sailors and a detachment of American bluejackets rendered military honors as the coffin, covered with American and Italian flags was carried to its last resting place by a detachment of Italian soldiers and sailors. The mother of Fairfield, Mrs. James Cummings Barr, of New York, witnessed the ceremonies.

Brig. General Evan M. Johnson, military attache to the American embassy in Rome, represented the American army, and General Guglielmotti, formerly Italian military attache in Washington, represented the Italian war ministry. The mayor of Venice and high civil and military authorities also were present.

General Guglielmotti and General Johnson delivered addresses in which they emphasized the ties between the American and Italian armies and peoples. A letter from Robert Underwood Johnson, American ambassador to Italy, in which he regretted his inability to be present, was read.

HARDING RETURNS TO WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, April 29.—President Harding returned to the White House from the Atlantic fleet review in Hampton Roads at 9 o'clock this morning. The presidential yacht Mayflower on which the president and his party made the trip, docked here at 7 o'clock, but Mr. Harding slept late and breakfasted on board before going to the executive offices.

The Moors are credited with having introduced cotton manufacturing into London in 1550.

Eyes Tired?

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EX-GOVERNOR LOWDEN SPEAKS IN NASHUA

NASHUA, N. H., April 29.—More than 2000 Masons from the Valley of the Nashua, attending the annual convention of the New Hampshire consistory, Scottish Rite, heard yesterday a message of congratulation from President Harding and an address by ex-Gov. Frank O. Lowden of Illinois.

Mr. Lowden arrived from Boston by auto and was first entertained at the Nashua Country club by the 32d degree Masons. Walter G. Africa of Manchester was named as his special aid for the day.

The ex-governor devoted much of the address to good government and the part the Masonic fraternity had taken during the world war. The speaker paid a high tribute to the spirit which is behind the plans for the consistory cathedral in this city, saying "If any edifice is entitled to be called a cathedral it is that edifice which is to be erected by the Masons."

Previous to the address Harry M. Cheney of Concord presented to the consistory a jewel box containing the gavel to be used when the cathedral is completed.

The gift was accepted by Commander Horace E. Osgood. Mr. Lowden was the guest of Maj. Ivory C. Eaton during the day.

The 20th degree was presented under George Abram French at the Colonial theatre with more than 250 candidates. This was followed by lunch at the Masonic banquet hall and city auditorium. Yesterday the 24th degree was presented under the direction of Ralph Chandler Marden.

The closing ceremonial was at the Colonial theatre last night when the largest class in the history of the consistory took the 32d degree under the direction of Ivory C. Eaton. The convocation closed with dancing at the city auditorium.

During the day several hundred women relatives of the Masons were entertained at the Nashua Country club and the city auditorium. There were lunches at the Country club at noon and last evening.

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BLACK AND TANS AROUSE PEERS

Action Denounced by Lord Parmour as That of Demented Red Indians

Hotel Proprietors and Two Policemen Killed — Machine Gun Used

(From the New York World)

LONDON, April 27—One of the most sensational accusations ever made against the British government's auxiliary forces in Ireland was heard today in the house of lords when Lord Charles Parmoor called attention to the attack on the Shannon View hotel, Castle Connell, last Sunday week, and moved that immediate steps be taken to insure a public and impartial inquiry. The resolution was agreed to.

Lord Parmoor read letters from his own brother, a surgeon, aged between seventy and eighty, who was staying at a hotel with his wife on the day in question, and who, said Lord Parmoor, usually sided with the government on Irish questions. His brother had visited the hotel for thirty or forty years to go fishing. He wrote to say:

Whole Place Shot Up

"Our landlord, a perfectly innocent honorable and much beloved man, was killed almost before our eyes. My wife and I were held up by revolvers pointed at our breasts. Besides O'Donovan (the proprietor) two police were shot dead. The whole place was shot to pieces by a machine gun brought inside the hotel. It was the most wicked attack you could imagine, and to my horror the perpetrators were Black and Tan auxiliary forces, sixty in number.

"Over a thousand shots must have been fired, and the auxiliaries behaved like demented red Indians. Of course we thought it was an attack by Sinn Feiners."

In another letter to his daughter, Lord Parmoor continued, his brother went into greater detail. He stated that as they were sitting down to dinner there came a sudden crash. A number of men rushed into the room, each holding a heavy revolver in each hand. They covered him and his wife at a distance of two feet and stood there three or four minutes without speaking. Then some dozen or more men rushed along the passage upstairs yelling and firing as rapidly as possible. There was no kind of order, each man firing wildly. Doors were riddled. Outside numbers of men were firing up and down the street, the inhabitants standing with arms over their heads. The men were mostly in rough civilian clothes, and the firing lasted half an hour. Then they got into armored lorries and drove away.

Attack Called Mistake

It was said that the attack was a mistake, two parties mistaking each other for Sinn Feiners. "To me," said Lord Parmoor's brother, "this was almost incredible, as even I recognized three men at the bar as policemen."

Lord Parmoor added that he had received another letter from his brother last night saying: "I forgot to mention that I have a bullet picked up by me on the 17th unexploded. The bullet had been reversed, thus converting it into an expanding bullet of the most deadly character. Such bullets inflict the most terribe wounds, and were prohibited in the late war."

"Here is the dumdum bullet," said Lord Parmoor holding it up, "which anyone can see, and it is not suggested that anyone fired except the government auxiliaries."

He demanded a full and impartial inquiry. He repudiated any sympathy with Sinn Fein violence, but said the worst violence of all was that organized or connived at by the government servants. He spoke with some heat, because he felt his brother had had a narrow escape from death.

Morris Seconds Motion

Lord Morris, in seconding the motion, said that everyone who had any regard for the fair fame of the country would feel gartefu! to the noble Lord for bringing the matter before the house. The most scandalous crimes were being committed in Ireland every day in the name of law and order, and information was withheld.

Lord Shandon said the auxiliary forces should be disbanded. These irregular acts by them were alienating all government supporters. Lord Crawford, replying for the government, said the matter was a subject of miltery inquiry. Lord Crewe pointed out that Lord Crawford did not utter a single word of regret or reprobation. Lord Salisbury asked if the result of the inquiry would be made public. Lord Crawford said he was unable to give a reply at that moment. The motion was then adopted.

COALITION SPEAKERS RAP IRISH FUND

BOSTON, April 29.—Insinuations that the use made of the money collected for Irish relief, as well as the money raised during the Irish bond drive in this country, might well be looked into, and charges that the republican party in Boston and New York is "eating out of the hand of the Sinn Fein," while the same party in middle west is dictated to by the "pro-Germans" of that section, were among the features of the fourth mass meeting of the Loyal Coalition in Boston, held last night in Symphony hall.

These statements and others of similar nature drew fire from certain portions of the audience, which took the form for the most part of hisses and jeers. The heckling came entirely during an address of Rev. Percy Gordon, pastor of St. Bartholomew's church, New York. To the delight of the majority of the audience, which showed that it was sympathetic to the coalition, the speaker hit back at the hecklers.

Mr. Gordon flayed the Irish politicians of the east, the Irish police of metropolitan cities, the press of the large cities, the Sinn Fein, the "pro-Germans of the middle west" and "a certain Irish member of the United States senate from Massachusetts."

Floyd Questions Relief Fund

It was Demarest Lloyd, president of the coalition, who presided, who assailed the Irish relief fund. He also berated the "reprisal campaign of the Sinn Fein" in this country in the matter of "a boycott not only against British firms, but against American firms which handle British goods."

"The professional Irishmen had better look out," he said. "The boycott can work both ways and if it is ever turned around on them they will be squealing for mercy in short order."

He questioned the need of relief in Ireland in comparison with other countries of the world, and added that "the relief funds will be distributed principally among lawless and indolent elements and their sympathizers."

He proceeded to question the use the money collected for Irish relief was put to, saying:

"Then, too, it might be well to inquire what becomes of all the money collected at various times for Ireland. It is not reliably reported that the money has gone to the benefit of the Irish people. In connection with the late Irish bond drive it was reported on good authority that while they were after $10,000,000 they raised only $5,000,000, and of that amount only $650,000 ever got to Ireland."

"Surprise Speaker" Not There

There were five speakers, including Mr. Lloyd and Dr. Gordon. The others were Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard university; ex-Senator Charles S. Thomas of Colorado and Rev. Isaac Ward, introduced by Mr. Lloyd as "a loyal member of ours," who described the Loyal Coalition as "an organization that God has raised up." Dr. Eliot spoke on Americanization.

Dr. Ward caused something of a sensation when he declared that he was "mighty suspicious that the recent meeting in Madison Square garden, New York, where Gen. Pershing spoke, would never have been held if it hadn't been for the work of the Loyal Coalition." He also said that Demarest Lloyd was "the man who kept the Irish planks out of the party platforms at the last two national political conventions."

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MURDERER EXECUTED

OSSINING, N. Y., April 29.—James L. Odell, aged 24 years, of Rochester, N. Y., was put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison last night for the murder of Edward H. Kneip, on Jan. 7, 1920.

In 1913, more than 3,000,000 peasants in France cultivated land which was their own property.

16 VILLA RAIDERS ACQUITTED OF MURDER

DEMING, N. M., April 29.—Sixteen Mexicans were acquitted here yesterday on charges of murder in connection with the raids on Columbus, N. M., in 1916, by Villa's rebel troops. The verdict was reached on the first ballot after the jury had deliberated for 25 minutes.

There still are five indictments against Mexican prisoners charging murder in connection with the raid but these will be dismissed, District Attorney Foreste Fielder stated following the verdict.

The prisoners are being held pending dismissal of the indictments, but will be released within a few days, and conducted to the border, Mr. Fielder announced.

NEEDLECRAFT SHOP OPENING

The formal opening of the Needlecraft Shop was held at their new location, 190 Merrimack street, today and among the large attendance were many friends that the shop made at its old location in Middle and Palmer streets.

Miss Alice Phaneuf, the proprietor, spared no expense nor time to make her new needlecraft shop the best of its line and she created an atmosphere of a studio, rather than one of ordinary, everyday business. The color scheme consists of a background of pearl gray with draperies of blue and the color is carried out in the show cases and furniture. In opposite corners there are light wicker chairs and tables where patrons may wait for their friends or, spend a few minutes in resting and looking through the needlecraft literature. In the entrance there are ferns and baskets of flowers prettily arranged add to the attractiveness of the very artistic arrangements.

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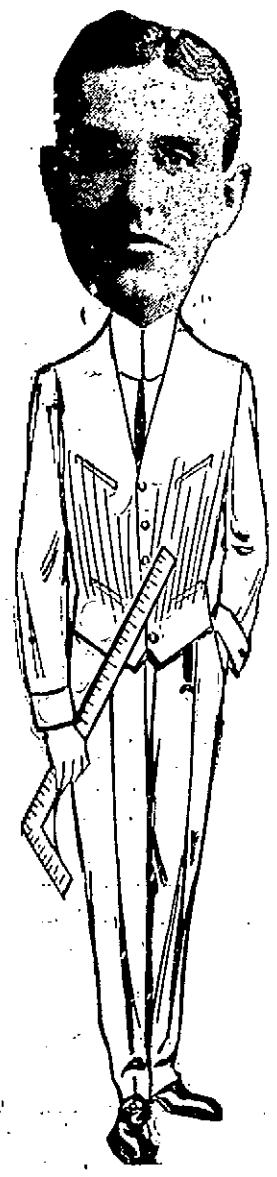

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Four bolts left of a medium weight, all wool, guaranteed fast color, dark blue, fine weave blue serge go on sale today. This serge is made by the American Woolen Co. and is the quality of serge that has been selling around $50.00 for a suit only a few short months back.

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Pure Lard, lb.	12½¢	Potatoes, peck	20¢
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One Time Heaviest Woman in the World Dies in Tewksbury

Mrs. Thomas Ouellette, nee Flavie Mahoney, at one time reputed to be the heaviest woman in the world, died last night at the state infirmary in Tewksbury after an illness of several months' duration. Deceased, who was 56 years, 7 months and 2 days old, leaves to mourn her loss four sons, Thomas, of Central Falls, R. I., Louis, of Panama, Charles of Baltimore, Md.,

MRS. FLAVIE OUELLETTE

and Emile of Dover, N. H. and two daughters, Mrs. Cecile Gasse and Mrs. Alice Jones, both of this city. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Joseph Albert in Aiken street.

Mrs. Ouellette was born at St. Anne des Monts, County Gaspe, Quebec, and was one of a family of 18 children. At the age of 17 she married Thomas Ouellette. Seven children were born to the couple. At the age of 50 Mrs. Ouellette weighed 550 pounds and at that time was proclaimed the heaviest woman in the world.

A few years ago Mrs. Ouellette travelled in the show business and visited nearly every state in the Union. She received many offers to go abroad, but preferred to remain within reaching distance of her children. Mrs. Ouellette, barring an occasional slight attack of rheumatism, enjoyed good health and was able to do her own housework up to the time she was taken sick a few months ago.

FOR THE POSTMASTERS

Some Form of Examination Under Civil Service Will Be Required

(Special to The Sun.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 29.—Although the new regulations regarding appointment of postmasters has not yet been officially made known, there is reason to believe Postmaster General Hays will immediately recommend a modified civil service order containing some changes from the Wilson executive order.

It seems to be unquestioned here that some sort of an examination will be required from persons desiring postmasterships and that such examination will be supplemented by investigation in the locality where the applicants live. There is strong reason to believe that after examinations have been taken the names of the three highest in rating will be submitted for nomination on one basis. That is their rating will not be marked as first, second and third, but all will be given the same standing, designated simply as the three highest. From that list the president will select any one of the three he may choose. Many congressmen prefer not to be consulted in that selection, but it seems to be pretty well understood that the opportunity of congressional recommendation will be offered every congressman, and the list of the three highest will be submitted to him, before a final selection is made. The idea prevails that present incumbents will be required to submit to such examination if they desire to hold in office till their terms expire. This will probably apply to all offices over $2200 annually, according to the very best available information.

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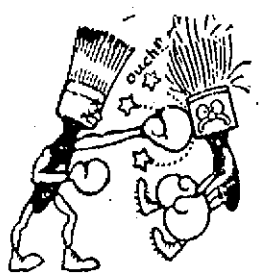

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HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING

The semi-annual meeting of the French-American Historical society will be held at the Boston City club Tuesday, May 3, and the principal speaker will be Henri Guy, dean of the faculty of letters of the University of Toulouse in France, who is now engaged in giving courses in French literature at Harvard university. Mr. Guy will speak on "Americans in Central France in the Spring of 1919." The meeting will be presided over by President Armand Bedard, M.D., of Lynn, and it is expected that the following Lowell members of the society will attend: J. H. Guillet, treasurer; L. P. Turcotte, councillor; Arthur L. Eno, Roderick E. Jodoin, Dr. D. S. Bellehumeur, Paul Vigeant, William A. Parthenais, J. A. N. Chretien and Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I.

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THE MAGNET OF MIDDLESEX STREET

Liquor Cases in Court

Continued

the ostensible sale of soft drinks. His Honor was informed that, while Sullivan's store has acquired a bad reputation with the police, its repute was achieved while under another management. Nevertheless, Judge Enright declared, people who take such places encourage others to go there. Deputy Downey was urged by the court to notify the owner of the building, under the new law, of the conviction obtained in a matter relating to a liquor violation on his premises. Under the law the owner of real estate can be held liable under certain circumstances for violations of the liquor law by tenants.

Charles Pelletier pleaded guilty to illegal keeping at his Moody street near-beer emporium, and paid the $100 which was imposed upon him. James Morin, who conducts a similar resort on Suffolk street, while pleading guilty to illegal keeping, appealed to the superior court when a $100 fine was levied. He furnished $300 bonds.

Daniel Brady was fined $10 for drunkenness, and advised to cease his visits to Lowell, where this morning he appeared to answer his third charge on this offence. The defendant, a resident of Waterville, N. H., was accorded a two weeks' extension to send the money to the probation officer, and he was warned that failure to do this would result in his being sent for. The case of Anthony Thomas, a soldier, was filed. He was arrested by Officer Garrity, and is wanted as a deserter from Fort Strong, where he will be taken. A $50 reward is due the local officer for apprehension of a deserter. Agnes Richards, who spent three months in jail since last November, had a suspended sentence to the state farm revoked. It is her fifth offence within a year. When last arrested she agreed to leave Lowell, and it was in consideration of this fact that she was granted a suspension.

A complicated chain of cases came up when Cornelius Reardon, John Donohue, Homer F. Bellmore and George Burney appeared on drunkenness charges. Police officers testified that Bellmore told them he had seen Burney going through the pockets of Reardon. Bellmore this morning denied that he had witnessed any such sight, and could not recall having informed the officers to that effect, although the latter testified that he was the least under the influence of any member of the quartet. Donohue, a Woburn resident, figured in the tangle as just plain drunk, and had nothing to tell in the matter besides having been with the group. Reardon stated that he had had $15, which was now mysteriously missing. It is his second offence. Burney, possessed of $55 when arrested, was certain that when he left the house in the morning he had all the money. The officers declared he has a reputation as a "roller," but he averred with emphasis that he "never rolled a man in his life." He also took issue with the officers when they spoke of him as not being inclined to labor. When the officers told of seeing him giving money to another man, he explained that "When people give me, I give them." He was then called to elucidate another point. It seems that he borrowed a dollar from Bellmore, and Judge Enright desired to know why, with $59 in his pockets, he sought an additional greenback. "Well, I just got it," he stated. "I asked him for it, and I got it." Burney was fined $15, and warned that another appearance would mean the state farm for a protracted stay.

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NORTH BILLERICA NEWS

Annual Prize Rewards by Talbot Mills for Best Kept Gardens

The annual prize competition for the best kept premises, vines, window and porch boxes, flower and vegetable gardens of the Talbot Mills Co. of North Billerica will be open to all persons living in the company houses this year and no entries will be required for the judge will visit the premises of all the company's dwelling houses several times during the season. The rules for the contest which are as follows are contained in a statement issued by President Frederic S. Clark of the company:

1—No nails or screws to be used on exterior of houses. The company will supply and put up, without charge, trellises for vines and boxes for windows and porches and supply soil for the boxes on application made to the repair shop before May 1.

2—Tenants on all streets to plant between and around the houses, but not over three feet in front of them, in order that there may be an unbroken lawn effect for the whole street.

The continued interest of our employes in their garden and window boxes was made so evident by the good work of last season that we want to encourage a special effort to greatly improve and extend the work and make our village a notably attractive one. We would like to have our employes and their children make plans, sketches, or models of their gardens or of such garden features as bird basins and sun dials, and for training fruit trees on trellises. To aid in this effort, we have arranged with Warren H. Manning to advise our employes, either directly or through Norris Millbury. Mr. Manning will also act as a judge.

Richard Kidder, the local florist, will also give advice at his greenhouses, on the selection and growing of plants and preparation of soil.

Employes can secure an illustrated pamphlet on vegetable gardens, free of cost, by sending a request for Farmers' Bulletin, No. 936, to the division of publications, United States department of agriculture, Washington, D. C., and another pamphlet from the same source on diseases and insect enemies of the garden by sending for Bulletin No. 856. The Massachusetts department of agriculture also has bulletins on many subjects that will be supplied on request, without charge.

The following prizes are offered:

Class 1—Best kept premises front and rear. Points to be considered: Condition of lawn, paths and backyards, including freedom from weeds and general neatness of grounds and exterior of house. Wherever there is a strip of sidewalk turf, it will be considered as part of the lawn. Five prizes, $10, $5, $4, $3 and $2.

Class 2—Vines, on houses, porches, arbors, trolley or other posts in front or rear of premises. Five prizes, $5, $4, $3, $2 and $1.

Class 3—Window and porch boxes: Plant arrangement and training, color harmony and the relation of the planting under and about the box are to be considered. Five prizes, $5, $4, $3, $2 and $1.

Class 4—Flower gardens: Design, arrangement and color harmony will be considered as well as variety and quality of flowers and freedom from weeds. Five prizes, $5, $4, $3, $2 and $1.

Class 5—Vegetable gardens: Points to be considered: Selection of varieties, freedom from fungus and insect enemies and from weeds, also general excellence of maintenance. Five prizes, $5, $4, $3, $2 and $1.

In addition to the money prizes offered, the winners of the first and second prizes in each class will be allowed a choice from a list of books and magazines on gardening in its various branches.

Free use of lawn mowers may be secured by applying at the repair shop.

Tenants are requested to prevent, at all seasons of the year, the drawing of carts on the lawns, for the delivery of coal, wood, etc.

Tenants are requested to use the iron barrels for ashes, swill and refuse, also to see that they are kept covered. The company's teams will empty them.

The company will plow and fertilize land for vegetable gardens. Applications for lots not exceeding one-quarter acre may be made to Joseph F. Talbot at the office.

SONS OF VETERANS

A regular meeting of Admiral Farragut auxiliary, Sons of Veterans, was held last evening in Memorial hall. Supper was served and later a business session was held during which plans were made for an entertainment and dance in the near future. The auxiliary was made the recipient of a large and handsome Bible, the gift being from Annie E. Lawson. Routine business was transacted and entertainment numbers were given.

TOMATO FANS

Slice tomatoes nearly to the stem and press slightly open. Insert between the divisions, and there should be several, alternate slices of cucumber and onion. Serve with French dressing.

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Fall River Man Was Ready to Quit Job When He Got Tanlac—Gains 23 Pounds

"There's no mistake about it. This Tanlac hasn't an equal when it comes to building a man up and making him feel fine all the time," said William Dumont, 88 Lafayette street, Fall River, thread twister for the New England Thread Co.

"For two years I had been going down hill fast on account of stomach trouble. I lost my appetite and everything, even milk and soft boiled eggs disagreed with me. I lost weight and strength right along and began to fear my working days were over. Sometimes I didn't get a wink of sleep all night long and would drag myself off to work in the morning feeling tired and would be miserable all day. I got no pleasure out of life and was ready to give up and quit.

"It was lucky for me that I got Tanlac as it put me on the road to health. Today I feel like a different man, eat anything I please and nothing gives me indigestion. I sleep as soundly as a school boy, jump out of bed in the morning feeling fine and march off to work whistling. I never worked as well in my life as I do now and it's all because of what Tanlac did for me. I have gained 23 pounds in weight, too, and I don't look like I had ever known a sick day. Tanlac is the only medicine for me."

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WANTS ARBITRATION

Home Rule Committee Sends Resolution to Street Railway Trustees

The local street railway home rule committee adopted a resolution, calling upon the public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts road to submit the differences existing between them and the employes to a board of arbitration of three members, at its regular meeting late yesterday afternoon in city hall.

The resolution, presented by Secretary John B. Curtin and unanimously adopted, stated that the employes of the road are desirous of having the differences between them and the trustees placed before an arbitration board of three members, one to be selected by the trustees, one by the employes and the third to be named by both. It stated that the home rule committee deemed it advisable for all parties concerned and for the interest of the public to submit the differences to a board of arbitration. It was also resolved that the secretary be instructed to send a copy of the resolution to the trustees.

In introducing his resolution, Secretary Curtin said that the employes of the road had frequently stated that they do not want a strike and that Lowell has been very fortunate in being free from an undesirable element. The local labor organizations, he added, have co-operated in keeping this undesirable element out of the city. He said the municipal council had acted on the pending situation and he thought the home rule committee should also take some action.

He said that the adoption of the resolution would in no way interfere with the action of the council. The council was to deal with the governor while the committee's resolution was addressed directly to the trustees. It does not take sides, he said, but merely seeks to bring about an amicable settlement.

Chairman John E. Sullivan felt that a copy of the resolutions should be sent to Governor Cox, to be presented by the mayor and council when they confer with that official. It was so voted.

Rev. Mr. Matthews asked if it were true that preparations are being made to house and feed strike-breakers in Lowell.

Supt. Vard B. Leavitt, of the Lowell district, said that such was the case: that the company is preparing for the worst, but hoping for the best.

"I don't feel that that's a good move at all," said Rev. Mr. Matthews. "I don't think it's wise. That action is enough to kindle into flame any sparks in the breasts of full-blooded Americans. We're not preparing for Huns, are we? There is strength enough in our civil authorities to handle the matter. We've had no trouble in previous strikes here, no bloodshed, and I don't think there's been any retrogression of the peaceful spirit of our citizens."

Rev. Mr. Matthews then asked if the moving of the construction work of the company which has been done in this city was a permanent thing, if the work would always be done in Chelsea.

Supt. Leavitt replied that it would be permanent. He said that the company had planned the move for two months and that such work had been done in Chelsea for years. The company claimed that it could do it more cheaply in Chelsea than here.

Chairman Sullivan and Rev. Mr. Matthews spoke about the nerve-racking work of the operators of one-man cars. They felt that the wages of such men should not be reduced. "There ought to be a stronger public conception of the importance of their work," said Mr. Matthews. He believed that any wage reduction should [illegible] employes, the high-salaried men as well as others.

Mr. Molloy and Mr. [illegible] discussed this matter at length and it was 5 o'clock when the committee adjourned.

Present at the meeting were Messrs. Sullivan, Curtin, Matthews and Molloy, together with Supt. Leavitt. Mr. Furfee came in toward the close of the meeting. Manager Thomas Lees was unable to attend owing to the pressure of other engagements.

EXAMINATIONS AT CITY HALL

Beginning next week, examinations for operators and conductors in Lowell will be held at city hall every Tuesday and Saturday, except, at 2.30 a. m. Applicants should report to the examiner in the basement of city hall, Merrimack street entrance, at the specified time. They must have an application duly filled out and must take the test in a machine furnished by the [illegible] in good running order. A few months ago examinations have been held at the [illegible] quarters in Dutton st. [illegible] the closing of those rooms [illegible] have decided to return to city hall.

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Confiscated Lands Ordered Returned

MEXICO CITY, April 29.—Lands in the states of Chihuahua, Sonora, Nuevo Leon, Coahuila and Tamaulipas, valued at more than 20,000,000 pesos, which were confiscated during various revolutionary periods in Mexico, were ordered returned to their owners yesterday by a presidential order, sent to the governors of the states. The order requested careful study of every claim and directed that a return of the lands in question be made as speedily as possible. Among the owners of territory in the states confiscated are many Americans who deserted their properties during troublous times.

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STARTED 800-MILE HIKE

Wheeling a baby buggy carrying her two children, Robert, 3, and Lillian, 10, Mrs. Mary Allen started to walk 800 miles from Newark, N. J., to Wabash, Ind., where her husband was ill. When she got to Elizabeth, N. J., the mayor raised funds to buy the trio railroad tickets and Pullman space.

VICE PRESIDENT COOLIDGE SPEAKS

Says Hope of World Lies in "Sturdy, Hard Working, Home Loving American"

Delivers Address at Founders Day Celebration at Carnegie Institute

PITTSBURG, April 29.—The greatest hope of a stricken world lies in the "sturdy, hard working, home loving American," Vice President Coolidge declared here today in an address at the Founders day celebration at Carnegie Institute. He eulogized the late Andrew Carnegie, who established the institute, reviewed his accomplishments, and spoke of him as a "man who represented American ideals."

"The whole nation," asserted Mr. Coolidge, "the whole world, following out his plan can advance the cause of civilization. Under it the conditions of life have steadily grown better, there has been a wider and wider distribution of property, a higher and higher standard of education, a deeper and deeper appreciation of the obligation of self-sacrificing example."

Great as were Mr. Carnegie's benefactions in the development of the material and intellectual welfare of his fellowmen, the vice president continued, his greatest accomplishment lies in the addition he made to their moral force.

"The question of human welfare," he added, "is not an economic question. It is a moral question. There is no difficulty with the present advance of scientific knowledge in providing for the welfare of the race. The ability is not lacking even if no further advance were made in discovery and invention. The material and intellectual forces are sufficient. They could be much greater—must be made much greater, but the present deficiency is not there. It is the disposition—the moral force that is lacking. Men are not doing as well as they can with what they have. Our civilization perishes unless the great powers it has developed are directed by a greater moral force."

The philanthropist, declared Mr. Coolidge, put his trust not in force but in reason, and it was this faculty "which gave him a vision of world peace" and the "power to believe under some form in its ultimate accomplishments." The vice president said there are those who would discard Mr. Carnegie's plan of service to mankind and "substitute they know not what."

"They would turn from a certainty, tested by time, approved by experience, to some vague experiment," the speaker continued. "They point out imperfections for even Americans have not fully realized their ideals. There are imperfections. But the ideal is right. What our country needs is the moral power to hold to it.

"There are readjustments to be accomplished. There are sacrifices to be made. They cannot be evaded. They cannot be made vicariously. They must be made by all the people. It is no time for bickerings. We must go back to work in accordance with the best standard that the public can maintain but we must go back to work.

"That done, the rest will take care of itself. Beneath the wrangling, beneath the tumult is the sturdy, hard-working, home loving American. He decides things in this country and his decision stands. He has decided to cast his lot where Carnegie cast his. In that decision, made in his spirit, calm, courageous, final, lies the greatest hope of a stricken world."

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Bobby Bernard, who plays the principal role of "A Regular Guy" at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, is one of the hardest working comedians in vaudeville. No man is more painstaking in his work, and that is why the act shows such wonderful results. Slap dash comedy men are Russ Brown and Connie O'Donnell, who have a profiteering fun turn that is all life. Excellent taste is shown in the Melody Garden production. Five young woman do some extraordinary instrumental work in this. Positively the best woman impersonator is Claudia Coleman, whose "types" are wonderfully well presented. Other acts on the bill are: Julia Rooney and Walter Clinton, dancers; Will & Blondy, gymnasts and Lawton, phenomenal juggler.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

There are two kinds of mystery photoplays, those that bore you and those that send the tingles up your spinal column. The Frank Lloyd production, "A Voice in the Dark," now showing at the Merrimack Square theatre, would keep a man infected with the sleeping sickness awake. It has pep and punch and all the other ingredients that make up the ideal mystery story. "A Voice in the Dark" is the play that kept New York thrilled for an entire season. The other feature of the current program is "Every Woman's Problem," starring Dorothy Davenport (Mrs. Wallace Reid.) This is an interesting picturization of the difficulties which confront the average woman of today. A comedy and the International News round out the bill.

RIALTO THEATRE

Charles Ray in the role of Ezra, the village schoolboy, forms the attraction of James Whitcomb Riley's poem, "The Old Swimmin' Hole," showing at the Rialto theatre this week end. The story is told with all the flourishes of the original poem and has lost none of the freshness of the immortal lines. Ray rises to his greatest heights in the role of the village hero. Supporting the picture is Mary Miles Minter in "The Little Clown," a comedy, "Torchy Mixes In," an episode of "Fighting Fate" and the Fox News. Don't fail to see it.

OPERA HOUSE

If you want to laugh heartily and then gulp a bit at your throat out of sympathy for the same little girl, and then feel like patting her on the back and assuring her of your undivided support in her stand against rather discouraging odds, then don't miss seeing "That Girl Patsy," the bright and happy comedy drama by Sumner Nichols which is being given this week by the Lowell Players at the Opera House. You will love "Patsy" and everything she does, and eventually you will admire those who have been moved by her. Don't miss enjoying one of the best offerings of the season.

Next week the great police play, by Charles Klein, "The Third Degree," is to be given, with Milton Byron in the principal role.

THE STRAND

"Number 17," the picture drama founded on Louis Tracey's famous novel of the same title, featuring George Walsh in the stellar role, is winning genuine favor with the patrons at The Strand. It had a most successful run in other cities and is enjoying the same success here. Walsh has certainly increased his popularity by his excellent performance in the role of the young author who in protecting his sweetheart, becomes the enemy of a gang of criminals in New York's Chinatown.

Gladys Walton in "Rich Girl, Poor Girl" provides more real thrills than any photoplay that has been served locally in months. Don't miss it.

In India and Burmah the code still allows natives to be flogged for certain offenses.

CHALLIS BACK

Challis in all of its softness and wonderful color is back. It is being used extensively by some of the smart shops for children's frocks.

Quarantine was first established against infectious diseases in the 14th century.

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yd George's Invitation Result of Derby's Visit o Ireland

ONDON, April 29—Prime Minister yd George concluded his speech he house of commons yesterday he Irish situation by reading from ocument drawn up after consult- with Mr. Balfour, which is gen- y interpreted as having some nection with Lord Derby's recent to Ireland, in which the pre- repeated his willingness to see member of parliament not under picion of murder, without stipu- g any conditions.

f there is any man in Ireland who ks he has a better plan than the ernment's and he comes with au- rity and presenting Irish opinion," the premier, "I will meet him, the government will meet him. may make any proposal he likes; will be his responsibility, and it be the government's responsibil- whether they accept or reject m."

uses to Put Off Elections

he prime minister declined to pone the elections, because that ld give the impression that par- nent could not be trusted. To and must be left the responsibility accepting or rejecting.

r. Lloyd George challenged his ies to suggest any alternative cy to that of the government, ex- surrender, and he would not be nce, the government must persist ponsible for a policy of surrender. he policy of re-establishing the hority of the law, however long it k, just as did the United States in fight against secession.

an impassioned address, Sir Ha- Greenwood, the chief secretary of and, described the Irish republi- army as "murderers" and de- ed deeds were being perpetrated Ireland which it was difficult for tish civilians, the military or po- to believe could be done by hu- n hands.

or example, charged Sir Hamar, murder or Protestants was in gress as a deliberate plan and re had been "a horrible case of desecration of a Protestant rch," while 15 Protestants had n murdered recently "without me or reason and under revolting umstances."

t was not, however, a case of Ro- n Catholics against Protestants, he d. There was also a deliberate n to attack, intimidate and in some es murder ex-service men."

he chief secretary said documents been captured showing that an nsive was being opened in Ulster interfere with the coming elections, plans including possible action inst the Belfast water supply, and er methods of sabotage.

n introducing the vote for the Irish ce, e said the Sinn Fein threat newspaper men had become more nounced, and one of them had been obliged to leave the country under the threat of death.

Sir Hamar said the auxiliaries had a specific function which would be performed by no other force—a statement which brought ironical cheers from the opposition. He said the auxiliaries had to go into the most disturbed areas, and the order from Sinn Fein headquarters was to shoot them at night.

The government, Sir Hamar declared, declined to differentiate between the north and south of Ireland in applying the home rule act. He continued:

"We decline to have an act of parliament torn up by the intimidation of anybody in Ireland. We will have a parliament functioning in the north in June, and, we hope, the south will also.

"Everyone, except the extremists, wants peace. The obstructionists are those who refuse a conference with the government as to the best methods of securing accord between the two governments."

BOLSHEVIK DISCIPLINE

Compel Man Who Stole Food to Run Gauntlet Shouting "I'm a Thief"

TERIOJKI, Finland, April 29.—(The Associated Press.)—The 8000 refugees from the recent Kronstadt revolution in Russia who are quartered in Finnish concentration camps here and at Ino have just given a striking example of Bolshevik discipline.

The refugees are being fed by American Red Cross officers. The other day, one of them was caught by his fellows in the act of stealing a larger share of food than was due to him.

The others formed a committee, tried the man, found him guilty of stealing food, and then appeared before a Red Cross officer.

"Please give us enough guns to form a firing squad," they requested. "We have found a man stealing food and will execute him immediately."

Informed that this was Finland, and not Bolshevik Russia, the committee was momentarily disappointed.

"But he must be punished," they insisted.

"All right," said the officer, "but no shooting goes here."

The committee then made the thief strip, although the weather was bitterly cold, formed a long line in the woods, including about 150 men, and made the guilty man run 100 times from one end of the line to the other, shouting "I'm a thief."

Discipline in these refugee camps has been excellently maintained, through the orders of Stephen Petrichenko, the 29-year-old sailor who was president of Kronstadt and the leader of the revolt. Yet the Finnish authorities are much worried over their presence in Finland. The Kronstadt men, while opposed to the communists, are a bit too radical in their views to suit the Finnish authorities, who have a "red" problem at home for a long time.

This, and the fear that the American Red Cross cannot continue to feed them indefinitely, has caused Finland to consider various means of getting rid of these 8000 and the 25,000 other Russian refugees who are in the country. The government would like to have the League of Nations take them off its hands.

When the Kronstadt garrison arrived at Teriojki the men were half starved. Ten days of good American food changed their appearance wonderfully and some of them, unused to white bread and a diet containing a large proportion of fats, found it so rich that they were ill and their diet had to be reduced.

BROWN

There is a vogue for the all-brown hat. You'll find the shops supplied with them in horsehair, milans, and chiffon. Most often the trimming is a huge bow of brown maline.

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THE GOVE CO.

Alaska Has Big Supply of Pulpwood

WASHINGTON, April 29.—There is sufficient pulpwood in Alaska to furnish perpetually one-third of the printpaper consumption in the United States, Col. Greely, chief forester, who recently made a survey, announced today. This could be laid down on the Atlantic seaboard on a basis of between 3½ and 4 cents a pound, based on present rail freight rates, and practically one cent a pound by water, he said.

PAINTERS OBJECT TO WAGE REDUCTIONS

A special meeting of members of Local 39, Painters' union was held last evening in Trades & Labor hall, Central street, with President William Lyons in the chair, for the purpose of discussing the 15 per cent. wage cut to take effect May 1, announced by the master painters last Wednesday. The proposed reduction was discussed and although no official announcement was made, it was reported that the sentiment of the men was emphatically for rejection. Further action on the question will be taken up by the grievance committee, which later will confer with the master painters and contractors. The painters are now receiving $1 an hour for their labor and if the proposed reduction goes into effect the pay will be 85 cents an hour.

SEARCH FOR WHISKEY-RUNNING SCHOONER

BALTIMORE, April 29.—Search for the whiskey-running schooner Palestine which last week landed a large liquor cargo at Hollowing Point, Md., assumed a new phase today when the prohibition enforcement authorities withdrew from the search for the vessel and her crew, and surrendered the entire case to the customs officials.

This step was taken in view of the fact that in her method of entry and clearance, the vessel violated customs laws and was also placed within the international classification as a pirate craft. These crimes are felonies while the mere violation of the Volstead act and prohibition amendment constitute only misdemeanors.

With the revenue cutter service and the coast guard co-operating in searching the Chesapeake Bay and all tributaries, Collector of the Port William P. Ryan has assumed entire jurisdiction.

It was stated that every governmental power within the departments assuming jurisdiction is being devoted to drawing a dragnet about any possible route over which the contraband whiskey may have been moved by the motor trucks which met the vessel when she landed.

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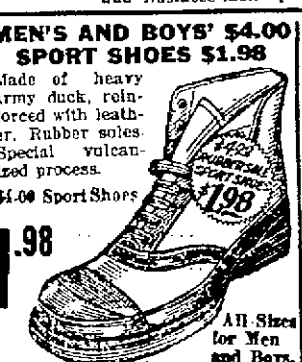

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To Reorganize Department of Commerce

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Reorganization of the department of commerce to enable it to meet better the needs of the industrial and commercial community was the object of a conference called for today by Secretary Hoover with some 40 representative business men of the country. The conferees represent many leading industries as well as trade and commercial organizations.

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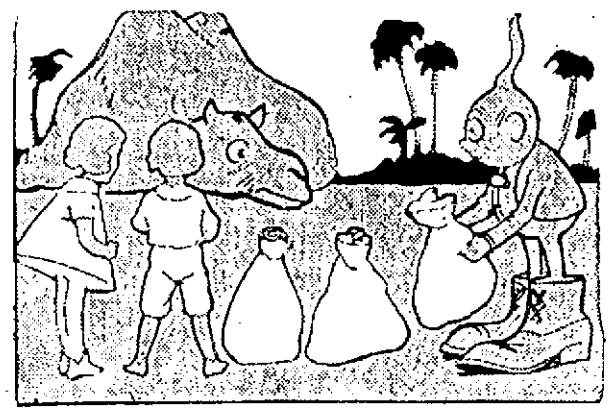

HE TOOK THREE BAGS OUT OF HIS SHOES AND LAID THEM IN A ROW ON THE GROUND

"You've got the pip, just as I feared!" declared Flippety-Flap to the camel. "Anyone who says he is never so comfortable as when he is uncomfortable needs to go in out of the sun. Come on, let's all go into the shade."

Caliph Camel was stubborn. "I don't want to," he insisted.

"Why not?" asked the fairyman.

"Just what I told you. I'd be too comfortable. I like to get sizzling hot. It feels so awful!"

Nobody had any reply to this silly speech.

"Don't you want to drink?" asked Nick, pointing to the water-pool.

"I had a drink last week," said Caliph, sulkily.

"But aren't you hungry?" wondered Nancy. "Here's some nice juicy grass, and if you like I'll climb a tree and get you some dates."

"Humph!" snorted the camel. "I ate last week, too. Besides, if I were hungry, there are whole bunches of camel-thorn growing out here in the sand. I can eat it."

"But do you like it? It looks so prickly."

"No, of course I don't like it; that's why I eat it. I eat enough to last for days. I've got two storage boxes on my back, as you may notice, that folks call humps. Indeed, it would be queer if you hadn't noticed, as they stick out as plainly as the ears on a rabbit. That's what humps are—storage boxes for forty dinners."

"Then I don't suppose we can coax you to go back?" said Nick sadly. "But it's no circus without a camel and we hoped you'd come."

"Thanks for askin'," replied Caliph Camel.

All this while Flippety-Flap had been busy. He took three bags out of his enormous shoes and laid them in a row on the ground.

"What's that?" asked the camel.

"These are the prizes!" answered Flippety-Flap, mysteriously.

(To Be Continued)

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THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF APREMONT DAY

WESTFIELD, April 29—Far scattered members of the old 104th infantry, 26th division, A.E.F., returned yesterday for their second reunion and the third anniversary of Apremont day, commemorative of that day in 1918, when on the field in recognition of bravery in battle, the French government bestowed upon the regimental colors the Croix de Guerre. Yesterday's celebration centered around the unveiling and dedication of a boulder of granite bearing a bronze tablet memorializing that event and with a certain fitness took place at Hampton Plains, the site of Camp Bartlett. It was here that, with the old Second regiment, M.V.M., as a nucleus, the 104th infantry was organized and received its preliminary training preparatory to departure overseas. Gov. Channing H. Cox delivered the dedicatory address.

The tablet was presented in behalf of the veterans by Maj. Gen. W. C. Hays, first commander of the 104th, and was accepted by Mayor Geo. W. Searle of Westfield.

Gov. Cox told briefly of the formation of the regiment, its departure and training abroad for its part in the conflict, and then of the three days' fight at Apremont. That proved, he said, that the Yankees of 1918 were built of the same stuff and had the same spirit as the Yankees of 1775 and 1861.

"You have done much. You have helped to make us love more deeply the commonwealth and the country which you served with devotion. Because you have shown capacity for service, because you have shown power of leadership, may Apremont day be always one of reconsecration to duty, to rededication to the great needs of the time, a day when you may lead us in resolving anew to do our part worthily, to do our fair share of the day's work, to the end that the civilization which you helped to preserve may endure and that the America which you served in war may in the days of peace be powerful and mighty as the defender of justice, liberty and righteousness."

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WORKMEN BLACKJACKED

Alleged System of Slugging Revealed at Trial of Union Men in Chicago

CHICAGO, April 29.—Details of an alleged system of slugging through which it is charged officials of the Upholsterers' union forced workers to obey their orders, were related yesterday by Sam Fisher, self-styled slugger, at the trial of 14 members of the union for acts of violence during the strike from August, 1919, to April, 1920.

Fisher, who during the two previous days of his testimony gave a list of prices which he said were paid sluggers by the union, yesterday declared that he had been ordered to cripple men who refused to obey orders so that they could not work.

"I remember one non-union man, another fellow and myself were ordered to slug," he said. "We hit him on the head with a blackjack—you could hear his skull pop half a block away. Then my companion kicked him until there was no chance he would be able to work.

"Frequently we were ordered to put a man out of business. We would beat him up and then crack his knuckles with an iron rod so that he could not work.

"Edwin E. Graves, international president of the union, told me one day to get a certain man and to 'get him right.' We cracked him on the head. I was afraid we had killed him. I ran down stairs to Graves and told him I thought we had killed the man.

" 'Don't worry about that,' said Graves, 'all you have to worry about is your money; here it is.' "

Graves is one of the men on trial.

HOUSE PASSES NAVAL APPROPRIATION BILL

WASHINGTON, April 29.—With every amendment relating to disarmament thrown out, the naval appropriation bill, carrying a total of $396,000,000, was passed yesterday by the house, 212 to 15. There was not enough opposition to demand a record vote.

Immediately after the measure was made ready for the senate the army appropriation bill, carrying $331,000,000, passed last session but vetoed was taken up.

The navy bill went through the house in the same form as originally passed but there were indications of a fight on the army budget because of an increase in the enlisted force from 156,000 to 163,000.

A parliamentary trick play and a quick move by Rep. Walsh, republican, Massachusetts, in the chair, cut off two hours of debate on an amendment by Rep. Connally, democrat, Texas, providing that no part of the appropriation for warship building should be expended until the president had called an international disarmament conference. The amendment was put to a vote and defeated in a veritable shout of noes.

But it did not stop the friends of armament limitation, who presented the same question in different textural dresses, but almost as fast as presented they were ruled out on points of order.

The clash of the day was precipitated by Rep. Byrnes, democrat, South Carolina, who sought to ascertain the real cause of postponing a hearing by the foreign affairs committee on a disarmament resolution, at which Secretary Hughes had been invited to outline the views of the administration. Mr. Byrnes did not get very far with his inquiry.

During the debate the hope was expressed by Republican Leader Mondell that a conference of the nations would be called before the close of the present session of congress.

BOSTON ELEVATED MEN ACCEPT WAGE CUT

BOSTON, April 29.—The carmen employed by the Boston Elevated Street Railway without a dissenting vote last night accepted a wage reduction effective July 1 of about 7 per cent for motormen and conductors and about 10 per cent for other workers. Nearly 10,000 men are employed by the company.

The meeting hall was packed when the new proposal of the public trustees of the system was submitted for approval. It is to take the place of the agreement between the road's operators and workers which expired June 30.

Following the union's vote to accept the wage cut, its conference committee was instructed to seek a meeting with the road management as soon as possible to sign the new agreement, which in all respects except wages will be the same as that now in force.

Submission of the new agreement by the trustees was in accordance with the present contract with the union which calls for 30 days' notice before any change could be made.

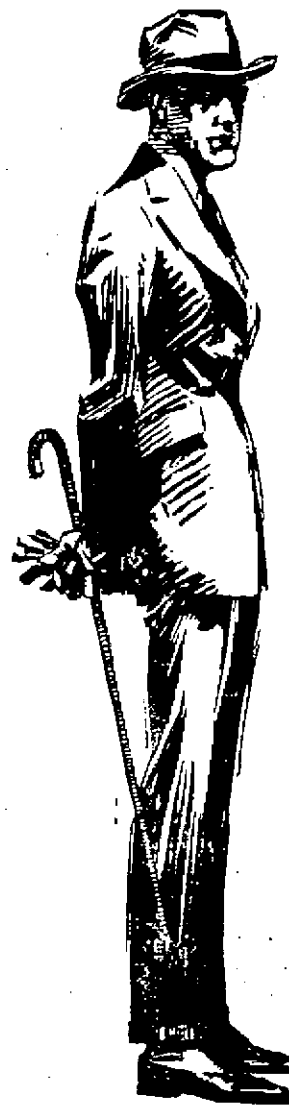
While accepting the wage reduction for themselves, the union of carmen of the Boston Elevated voted to go on record as supporting the carmen of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway in any action they may be "forced to take in their dispute" with the operators of that system.

AMERICAN, HELD BY REDS, APPEALS TO U. S.

RIGA, April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Capt. Emmet Kilpatrick, American Red Cross worker, captured by the Bolsheviki in the Crimea last October, has sent an appeal to the government in Washington to procure his release from the prison camp in Russia where he is now confined.

The appeal was brought out of Russia by Captain Marion C. Cooper, an American, who escaped from a soviet prison and reached Riga a few days ago.

In his appeal, which is being forwarded to the United States, Capt. Kilpatrick sets forth that he is being held prisoner against all the principles of international law as he was a noncombatant Red Cross officer many miles behind the front when captured.



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BARRYS ARE GIVEN VERDICTS FOR $1401

In the three cases of Barry vs. Welcome, tried at one time, a jury in the superior court has returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiffs. The cases grew out of an accident in 1919 on the Tyngsboro boulevard in which an automobile owned by Ashley Welcome struck Mrs. Nettie L. Barry of Dunstable road, Chelmsford, while she was walking along the highway wheeling a baby carriage. Mrs. Barry is given a verdict of $1200 for personal injuries, and her husband is awarded $200 for expenses incurred as a result of the accident. To Catherine Barry, the young child in the baby carriage at the time Mrs. Barry was struck, is awarded $1.

Trial was continued today in the superior court of the cases of James H. Harris of Laconia, N. H., formerly of Boston, against Dora A. Chase and Albert E. Brown of Lowell. The cases are being tried jointly. Mr. Harris is suing to recover for personal injuries alleged to have been received when an automobile belonging to Albert E. Brown, and operated by his sister, Dora A. Chase, collided with a motorcycle belonging to the plaintiff, near the junction of Nashua and Dunstable roads in North Chelmsford, May 31, 1920.

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ALLEGED SPY IS RELEASED

NEW YORK, April 29.—Hermann Wessels, alias Carl Rodiger, former second officer of the steamship Imperator, who had been under arrest since the spring of 1918 on charges of espionage and treason, yesterday was discharged from $5000 bail by Federal Judge Chatfield. This action was taken, the judge said, at the request of Attorney General Daugherty.

Wessels' attorney construed the court's action as automatically releasing their client from further prosecution under the charges that had been made against him. His present whereabouts is unknown.

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Washington	9	4	69.2
New York	5	5	50.0
Boston	5	5	50.0
St. Louis	5	6	45.5
Chicago	3	5	37.5
Detroit	4	7	36.4
Philadelphia	3	8	27.3

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Boston 6, Philadelphia 2.
New York 9, Washington 5.
Cleveland 18, Detroit 5.
Chicago-St. Louis, wet grounds.

GAMES TOMORROW

New York at Boston.
Cleveland at Chicago.
St. Louis at Detroit.
Washington at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	10	3	.76.9
Brooklyn	9	5	64.3
Chicago	6	4	60.0
New York	6	6	50.0
Boston	6	8	42.9
Cincinnati	6	8	42.9
Philadelphia	5	7	41.7
St. Louis	1	8	11.1

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Philadelphia 11, Boston 6.
Brooklyn 2, New York 1.
Cincinnati-St. Louis—Rain.

GAMES TOMORROW

Boston at New York.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

AVILA TURNS TABLES

Lowell Boy in Great Form and Gets Award Over Gibbs in Thrilling Bout

Johnny "Young" Avila of Lowell turned the tables on his rival, Woonsocket Joe Gibbs, in a sensational 10 round bout before a fair sized crowd at the Crescent A.A. last night. The bout went the distance at a bewildering clip, with Avila clearly outclassing his opponent and the decision in his favor was vigorously applauded.

Two weeks ago Avila and Gibbs met at the local club and in a slashing bout Gibbs was awarded the decision. He earned the award but his margin of victory was close, very close. Last night, Avila showed vast improvement and he fought a brilliant battle. He took the lead at the outset, getting the jump on his opponent in the first round, and he never relinquished his advantage or let up in his vigorous attack. Gibbs, gamester that he is, fought back and proved dangerous all the way. Gibbs is a rugged and shifty performer, and employed all his cunning in a futile effort to halt the local boys' onslaught. Gibbs did much fine blocking and stopped many of Avila's vicious body blows with his arms. But Avila would not be denied and tore into his opponent and maintained a terrific bombardment over the entire journey. At in-fighting Gibbs was at his best and he sent over many good blows while on the inside. At times the boys stood together and exchanged rapid fire counters, and once in the ninth round they were locked in a furious exchange and continued after the bell, being pried apart by Referee Flaherty. The ninth and the sixth were the feature rounds of the battle, but all others were replete with action and artistic work. Several times during the bout Avila threw off his opponent and sent him to the floor, but the elusive Gibbs was on his feet in a second to resume activities. In the sixth both went down, Avila falling first with Gibbs rolling over him. They were up in an instant.

In the first round Gibbs went to the floor claiming a foul, but Referee Flaherty refused to allow it.

Gibbs was quick to arise and he went after his man like a tiger. Avila met him at his game, and worked a left jab to the face, with short rights to the body, that gave him the advantage in the round. Avila continued his aggressiveness in the second and again had the edge. In the third Avila opened up a fine attack and in one of the clinches threw Gibbs to the floor. He bounced up like a rubber ball and closed in. Avila refused to let him hold, and after shaking him off rained blows to head and body with machine-like precision. He had the round. The fourth was well contested, with both showing good form and Gibbs coming a little stronger. In the fifth Gibbs was at his best. He engaged in some clever jumping jack stunts, lurching forward and reaching his objective several times. Avila remained on the defensive most of this round. But as the sixth opened Avila rushed at his opponent and landed some terrific lefts to the head. While battling in a clinch the pair began wrestling, and Avila went to the floor with Gibbs on top of him. They rolled over and got up instantly and resumed the fast gait. Near the end of the round Avila caught Gibbs flush on the mouth, dislodging the latter's teeth protector. This round was another for Avila. In the eighth Gibbs rallied, but Avila refused to let his opponent take the lead. The ninth was a wonderfully fast round, with both giving and taking heavy punishment. The 10th was a hummer, with both trying hard to get over a haymaker. The pair battered away right up to the final bell. The decision to Avila was vigorously applauded, while Gibbs, too, got a great hand as he stepped from the ring.

Jimmy Demas won from "Bricky" Claven in the first bout of eight rounds. The second bout was a peppery one between Happy Conley and Young Sallee. It was crowded with action with honors fairly even until the sixth, when Conley got his wallop working advantageously. He started off the round with a fierce attack and he continued his efforts until he finally sent Sallee to the floor, where he remained until a towel, signifying defeat, came from his corner.

VISCOUNT ASTOR'S HORSE WINS CLASSIC RACE

NEWMARKET, England, April 29. (By the Associated Press.)—The 2000 guineas, the classic race for colts and fillies, run here today, was won by Viscount Astor's Craig An Eran.

Joseph Watson's Lemonora was second. Twenty-six horses ran.

The 1000 guineas, also run today, was won by W. Raphael's Bettina. William Clark's Petrea, was second, and Viscount Astor's Pompadour third.

Twenty-four horses ran in this race, which is for three-year-old fillies. It was run over the Rowley mile, as was the 2000 guineas event which preceded it.

TO HONOR MANAGER EVERS

PITTSBURGH, April 29.—Johnny Evers, manager of the Chicago club of the National league, which makes its initial appearance at Forbes field against the Pirates today, will be entertained at a luncheon by 24 overseas secretaries of the Knights of Columbus in this district at noon today.

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BIG RELAY CARNIVAL AT FRANKLIN FIELD, PHILA.

PHILADELPHIA, April 29.—The 27th annual relay carnival of the University of Pennsylvania opened at Franklin field today with the longest entry list in its history and with an international setting given by the presence of several events of the team from the combined universities of France.

Not only were the athletes more numerous than ever before, but among them were probably the greatest number of champions ever brought together at an American athletic meet. Virtually all the leading universities, colleges and schools in the country were represented in one or more of the 77 events on the two days' program. Individually, there were about 2500 men and boys entered.

The opening day's program comprised 31 events, mostly for school boys. Notable exceptions, included the sprint and distance medley relays, two mile race, 440 yards low hurdles and the pentathlon, in all of which stars from the big colleges and universities matched speed and stamina.

Because of the participation of the French team in the sprint medley, interest centered in that race. Two of the Frenchmen are champions in their country, Fery holding the 400 metres title, and Seurin the 200 metres, while a third, Delvart, is holder of the world's 500 metres record. Bigot, the fourth member, is a fast quarter miler. The Frenchmen will meet strong opposition in Pennsylvania, winner of the event last year.

Great interest also was shown in the distance medley relay and the two-mile race. In the former the entries included the naval academy, competing in a track meet for the first time away from home, Yale, Illinois and Iowa State. Contestants in the two-mile event, including Nightingale, last year's winner, Romig, Penn State, intercollegiate cross country champion; Buker of Bates, New England two mile and cross country title holder; Furnas of Purdue, western cross country champion; Wharton, Illinois, two-mile western champion, and Head, the speedy Pennsylvania distance runner.

CHELMSFORD HIGH SCHOOL MEET

Students of the Chelmsford high school held a keenly contested interclass track meet on the school grounds yesterday and after a series of exciting events the sophomores were declared victors with a total of 53 9-10 points. The juniors scored 45 9-10 points, the seniors, 44 1-5 points and the freshmen 10 points. The sophomore girls' basketball team defeated the freshmen, 16 to 8. Results of the various events were as follows:

Boys' sports: 75-yard dash, won by McPhillips, '21; second, Farrington '23; third, Peterson, '21; fourth, Kinch '23.

Running broad jump, won by Farrington, '23; second, Miller, '22; tie for third and fourth, Cole, '21, Parker '22. Distance, 15 feet, 10 inches.

Shot-put, 12-pound, won by Cole, '21; second, Miller, '22; third, Parker, '22; fourth, Byam, '22. Distance, 33 feet, 7 inches.

Pole vault, tie for four places, Peterson, '21, Butterworth, '22, McMaster, '22; Johnson, '23, Farrington, '23. Height, 7 feet, 6 inches.

Relay race, won by seniors; second, juniors; third, sophomores; fourth, freshmen.

High jump, tie for first, second and third, Petrie, '22; Parker, '22; Miller, '22; fourth, Kinch, '23; Peterson, '23. Height, 4 feet, 6 inches.

Cross-country run, won by McPhillips, '21; second, Kinch, '23; third, Boyd, '22; fourth, Parker, '22.

Girls' sports: Relay race, won by sophomores; second, freshmen; third, juniors; fourth, seniors.

Sack race, won by McKennedy, '21; second, Allard, '23; third, Carlson, '22; fourth, McTeague, '23.

Potato race, won by Reno, '23; second, Smith, 23; third, Perkins, '24; fourth, McTeague, '23.

Three-legged race, won by Paignon and Dunnigan, '22; second, Reno and McTeague, 23; third, Allard and Smith, '23; fourth, Ellis and McTeague, 21.

50-yard dash, won by Reno, '23; second, McKennedy, '21; third, Ellis, '21; fourth, McTeague, 23.

SPORTING NOTES

Chick Evans will take his parents to England with him.

Babe Ruth's press agents are batting a thousand again and Babe himself is doing well.

Rookie pitchers in the big leagues are unable to curve the new balls as much as they did the old ones in the minors.

Students at Northwestern university will have to swim for their diplomas in future. It's a new athletic requirement.

Visiting clubs in the National league get 30 minutes for batting practice instead of 20 as in the past.

The outfielder of Lehigh university, who recently inherited $750,000, will never play ball for a living.

The New York Giants spent $5000 for baseballs in 1920. The fans are back in form this spring.

Georgia Tech has granted Bobby Jones a two months' leave of absence so he can compete in the English amateur golf championship matches.

Barnyard golfers at St. Paul are campaigning for daylight saving. They estimate that 5000 horseshoe pitchers would benefit.

Even Carpentier himself doesn't think Tex Rickard's Jersey City show will last over four rounds.

Propaganda for summer baseball for college players is rapidly being fanned into a blaze.

HAYDEN ROLLS 376 AND WINS PRIZE

Hayden with a three-string total of 376, won the daily prize in the tournament on the Crescent alleys yesterday. He also stands at the top of the column in the individual class. Flynn and King are setting the pace in the two-men competition. Hewson, Barnes and Austin maintain first place in the three-men class. The figures, including those of last night, follow:

Individual—Hayden, 376; Lynch, 359; Dr. Hewson, 354; Flynn, 352; King, 350.

Two-men—Flynn-King, 724; Dr. Horne-Dr. Hewson, 714; McQuade-Sullivan, 670; Harrall-O'Dea, 665.

Three-men—Dr. Hewson-Barnes-Curtin 1021; Jodoin-Flanders-King 1020; Lynch-Espinola-Whitelock 939.

Daily prize—Hayden 376. Weekly high single Dr. Hewson 151. Weekly three picked strings Dr. Hewson 421.

They'll Introduce the "Whisker Floater" to Yank Ball Fans

This is the advance guard of the California Camouflaged Wonders that arrived recently from India to enter the University of California and who, incidentally, will show America how whiskers are an aid to ball players. From left to right, they are: George Parnap, pitcher; Charlie Dalip, catcher, and Eddie Achher, first baseman

BERKELEY, Cal., April 28.—The monopoly of a full-whiskered baseball team soon will no longer belong to the House of David team at Ann Arbor, Mich.

The fans of the country will be treated to the sight of chin decorated stars whirling around the bases, playing on Sunday, smoking cigarets, and doing a few other things the abstinence from which has made the Michigan stars famous.

The advance guard of the California Camouflaged Wonders arrived here recently from Khalsa college, India, to enter California university.

They intend to show America what can be done by a team with whiskers. They say they learned the value of camouflage during the war, and expect to reveal the great secret of success attained by the House of David.

George Parnap, the greatest pitcher ever produced in India, has an original ball that fools them all. He simply rubs the ball on his whiskers enough to wear the smoothness off and then heaves it slowly. It does not twist, but simply floats. Pitching against the All-American team which visited India two years ago, George fanned 18 men.

Charlie Dalip, catcher and champion home run hitter, is the Babe Ruth of India. They had no fences in India until Charlie lost nearly all the balls in the country by hitting them into the jungle. They built a fence from the money saved by keeping the balls. He made 73 homers last season.

Eddie Achher, first baseman, can't understand why Americans get excited over Ty Cobb. He says he can treble Cobb's best stealing record.

The camouflaged stars say that after the big league managers have observed the advantage of whiskers, all the players with smooth chins will lose their jobs.

RUBE MAKES SURE HE'S MARRIED

This is the first picture of Rube Marquard's bride, formerly Miss Naomi Malone of Baltimore. Inset, Marquard, who is pitching for Cincinnati this year. After the first ceremony Rube found out that he would have to be married again because of legal technicalities growing out of his divorce last October from Blossom Seeley, actress.

BASEBALL SEASON WILL OPEN TOMORROW

If the weather man is at all favorably disposed, Lowell's 1321 baseball season will get under way tomorrow afternoon with games scheduled for practically every diamond in the city.

Up at the Textile school campus in Moody street, Lowell Textile will play its first home game with the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as opponents. Textile has played only one game this year, defeating Andover on April 16. Its games with Worcester Tech last Saturday was called off on account of the unfavorable weather. Tomorrow it will open a series of five consecutive games.

The City league is also scheduled to get under way tomorrow afternoon. The St. Columbas will meet the Unities, Sharts Nobles the Oakleaves and the Celtics the Cardinals. Where each game will be played has not yet been definitely determined owing to the widespread demand for the use of the various diamonds tomorrow.

Lowell high school will journey to Manchester to meet the strong high school team of that city and the C.M. the K. of C. at Lawrence. Various by playing the Lawrence council of the K. of C. at the Lawrence. Various other amateur games are scheduled for tomorrow afternoon.

CHICK EVANS PLAYS PRES. HARDING

CHICAGO, April 29.—Charles Evans, Sr., and wife, parents of the well known amateur golf champion, left today for the east to join their son who leaves May 4 with the team of American golfers who invade England, in quest of the British laurels.

They received word that "Chick" had requested President Harding to play golf with him today and that the president had accepted. After the match with the president today, Evans and his parents plan to go to Bethlehem, Pa., for a short visit.

BALL GAME FOR IRISH RELIEF FUND

The bitter rivalry of olden days will be revived on the South common diamond tomorrow afternoon when Boland and Cannry's South Ends and the Broadway club team will clash. As these clubs represent the north and south ends of the city, fans realize that a real red hot game is in prospect. The game has been arranged by Jack Condon, of the Irish relief committee, and the money collected will be turned over to the fund now being raised for sufferers in Ireland. As both of these teams are to be members of the Twilight league the fans will have their first opportunity to see them in a contest tomorrow. The South Ends will use practically the same lineup that played the Lawrence K. of C. on Patriots day. Manager Sheehy of the Broadways promises to have a strong lineup. Mr. Condon has selected John Coughlin to act as umpire.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Red Sox defeated the Bears by the score of 32 to 5. They would like to play any 11 or 12-year-old team in the city. Answer through this paper.

The Lone Scout Juniors would like to challenge any 10 to 12-year-old team in the city.

The Young Hunters defeated the Centralville Stars Thursday by the score of 6 to 4.

The Jolly Jockey Riders would like to hear from any 8 to 11-year-old team in this city, the Concord A.C. preferred. The game will be played on the Dixwells' grounds.

The Young Hunters would like to hear from any 8 to 12-year-old team in this city, the Young Summer A.C. or the Young Emeralds preferred. The game will be played on the Dixwells' grounds. It will be for two 35-cent balls a side. For all challenges call 3669-J and ask for Jim or answer through this paper.

The Washingtons would like to make it known that the result of their victory over the big Lincoln team was not due to the absence of the star first baseman nor the dumb plays made by the Lincolns. The Washingtons played rings around the Lincolns and were superior at bat. The fine pitching of Correia and good work of all the team were the features. "To the victor belongs the spoil," so no alibis. Lincolns. The scores of the other games do not indicate the way the Lincolns got the runs. They were helped along by the umpire. Signed by Manager John Innes.

The Centralville Stars will play the Young Emeralds Saturday morning at 10.30 for a 35-cent ball on the North common.

The St. Patrick's Seventh Grade Seconds added another victory to their list by defeating the Eighth Grade Seconds by the score of 15 to 14. A two-bagger by Coope in the last inning brought in the winning runs.

The Morey school, sixth grade, defeated the Lincolns sixth grade on Morey school grounds. Score 13 to 11. The winners are to play the Moody sixth grade on the South common Wednesday morning.

The Young Rovers are willing to play any 11 to 12 year old team in the city on the South common, Saturday at 2 o'clock. The lineup: Tony Picanso, catch; Frank Coter, pitch; Frank Sargun, 1st base; John Connors, short stop; Tony Mello, 2nd base; Jesse Costor, 3rd base; John P., right field; Frank M., center field; Americo M., left field; Manuel G., sub. Manager John C.; captain, Frank C. Telephone number 3743 between 5 and 7 o'clock.

If the Clinton A. C. think that they have a better team than the Pawtucket Stars, let them loosen up. The Stars are willing to play for $5.00 and two 50c balls a side. If accepted, see manager.

The Rainbows would like to challenge any 11 to 12 year old team in the city for a game Saturday afternoon. The Floyd A. C. preferred. Tel. 5591-R or meet P. McManus at corner of Prospect and Central sts. between 6.30 and 7.30 p. m. tonight.

KILBANE URGES NEW SCORING PLAN

(By Newspaper Enterprise)

CLEVELAND, April 29.—Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion of the world, advocates the idea that boxing bouts should be scored round by round.

"Let the ringsiders and the boxers know who is winning as the fight goes along," says Kilbane.

"They'll enjoy boxing a lot more if they know how the fight is going. The benefits would be mutual to both fans and fighters.

"If the referee announced at the end of each round which fighter won it, fans could mark it down on their

JOHNNY KILBANE

score cards. When the fight was over they could add up the rounds each man won and they'd have the decision.

"Scoring fights round by round would help eliminate poor or crooked refereeing, too.

"A lot of fighters go along easy, being outpointed during the early rounds of a fight and then speed up the last few rounds to make an impressive grandstand finish.

"A referee who doesn't know his business will give the whirlwind finisher the decision in many cases when he didn't win the majority of the rounds.

"If the fighters knew at the end of each round which had won it they'd fight more and stall less.

"Fans should leave a boxing arena satisfied as to who won. There isn't any doubt in the minds of baseball fans as to who won when they leave the park. And that's what makes baseball one of the sanerest games.

"Boxing will thrive on honesty and score cards just the same as baseball."

MODEL YOUTH

Wesley C. Brooker, of Lindstrom, Minn., has been awarded the Francis Burr scholarship at Harvard for highest scholarship, character, leadership and athletic ability. He was a captain in the war.

WHITE SOX MEET INDIANS

CHICAGO, April 29.—Having played out eight games in 22 days, the reorganized White Sox today were called upon to face the world's champion Cleveland team, the latter fresh from a batting bee on the home diamond at the expense of Detroit, which resulted in 23 hits yesterday. Manager Gleason declares it will take several days' work under a hot sun to bring the club up to the same stage as it had reached when it left the spring training camp at Waxahachie, Tex. The showers which have postponed half of the 16 scheduled games of the Sox have also interfered largely with the batting practice sessions and other workouts which Gleason has attempted.

FOR EPEE CHAMPIONSHIP

NEW YORK, April 29.—Finalists today in the open tournament for the Epee championship of the United States were Major Henry Breckenridge of the Washington Fencing club, William H. Russell of the Boston Athletic association, Chauncey McPherson of the New York Athletic club and Francis W. Honeycutt of the Washington club.

Russell with seven victories in as many bouts, and Honeycutt with six, were top men. Breckenridge and McPherson in a round robin to break a triple tie with Ray Dutcher, present champion, fenced the latter out of a place in the finals.

LOADMAN BEATS REGAN

BOSTON, April 29.—Dick Loadman of Buffalo won the decision over Dutch Regan in their 10-round battle in the Carlyle feature bout last night.

The Buffalo fighter, who is a veteran ringster, knew too much ring craft for the East Boston lad, who was making his first appearance in the ring as a pro.

The visitor had all the better of the inside fighting while Regan excelled him on long distance work.

Bill McKinnon stopped Jack Savage in five rounds and Al Sears won the decision over Danny Burns of Lynn.

SEEKS BALL GAMES

Sporting Editor:—Dear Sir: The Correct Dodge baseball team of Newburyport, champions of the Industrial league of 1920, would like to arrange for games away from home with fast semi-pro. teams. Reasonable guarantee expected. Open dates in May, June, July and August. Telephone Newburyport, 1155 or write M. A. Twomey, care of Nathan D. Dodge Shoe Co., Kent street, Newburyport, Mass.

LARZEN TO MEET JAMIESON

BOSTON, April 29.—Magnus Larzen of New York, who showed a punch like the kick of a mule in winning the national amateur light heavyweight boxing championship here a month ago returned today to enter the professional prize ring here tonight. His first opponent will be Ted Jamieson of Milwaukee, who was amateur titleholder in the same class in 1917. The battle promised to be one of heavy hitting against cleverness and speed.

DURHAM DOING MOVIES

INDIANAPOLIS, April 29.—Bull Durham, the pitching star who was sold by Indianapolis to New York for $5000 several years ago, is now on the payroll of a moving picture company at $1000 a week.

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LEACH CROSS "COMEBACK"

PORTLAND, Ore., April 29.—Leach Cross, veteran New York lightweight, fought a terrific 10-round draw against Joe Gorman of Portland here last night. Newspapermen were unanimous in according Cross seven out of the ten rounds. One judge gave it to Cross and the other called it a draw. The referee called it a draw. Cross outpunched Gorman, who is rated as the hardest hitter of the coast.

ELBERFELD CHASED

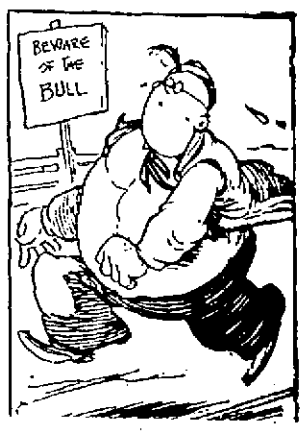
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 29.—Norman "Kid" Elberfeld is the first Southern league manager to be chased from the ball park this season. Umpire Jack O'Toole made the Little Rock skipper fade out of the picture for being too peppy the other day.

WHEAT ONLY TEASING

BROOKLYN, April 29.—Zach Wheat now claims he held out for a salary of $15,000 just to tease Squire Ebbets. His salary last year was $8000. Ebbets gave him an $800 raise.

The South Sea islanders have a curious method of salutation, which is to fling a jar of water over the head of a friend.

SETH TANNER



Th' best bet is one that cures us o' bettin'. Th' law makers don't seem to be able to keep up with th' crooks.

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ARBOR DAY AND ITS MEANING

Tomorrow will be observed as Arbor day in compliance with the proclamation of the governor. This particular day is understood to have some reference to tree planting, but unfortunately, comparatively few take it seriously. The people of this city, and we might say this state, have not acquired the tree-planting habit. It is time they changed their customs in this respect, however. The forests of Massachusetts are rapidly disappearing and there is no effort made to replace them.

It is time a real movement for reforestation were started. It is so easy to plant trees that nothing is needed to make it successful, but an agency to direct the work. The park department has all the machinery needed for that purpose. It can instruct the public in the kind of trees best suited to our soil and climate and urge everybody to plant. The department itself can do more in this respect than it has been doing in past years. We should have in and around Lowell several tracts planted with young shade trees and fenced in to protect them until they have attained the size at which they are not likely to be broken down by boys or hunters.

To relieve the shortage of wood pulp, whole tracts of waste land should be planted with hardy trees that in time would prove valuable.

There is so much waste land in the suburbs that it is surprising that the owners do not utilize it in this way. Forests at the present time have a greater value than ever before; and if man only plants the young trees in suitable soil, Nature will do the rest.

The United States chamber of commerce has taken up the matter of reforestation, finding that with the loss of $25,000,000 by forest fires and the continual hewing down of young trees for wood pulp, it is an absolute necessity to give more attention to the planting of trees.

At the present time a measure known as the Snell bill is before congress with the approval of the National Forestry Association. Its purpose being to promote the conservation of forests, to encourage the planting of trees and conduct a campaign of education along these lines throughout the country. It provides for a real national forest policy in which every part of the country can be interested and induced to co-operate.

Timber enterprises require some capital to begin with, as the crop is slow in coming to maturity, and this is where state and federal aid can be used with advantage. There are tracts of land covered with useless brush for generations past that if planted with trees would in time become valuable.

Arbor Day offers an opportunity for giving this movement a real boost, and it is hoped, therefore, that all who can do so, will plant a tree or many trees; and if this is not feasible, plant a shrub or a rose bush—something to give Nature a chance to show her readiness to help those who show a willingness to help themselves.

MAKING OVER MIDDLESEX

If the counties of the commonwealth could set up anew in business at the present time it would undoubtedly be with very different internal arrangements and boundary lines from those that exist at present. The pioneers meant well when they set aside the present political divisions and established their meets and bounds and selected their shire towns, but unfortunately they were without foreknowledge as to what the future had in store in the way of growth of population and changed conditions.

Middlesex county has a population of more than three-quarters of a million persons. The two sovereign states of Vermont and New Hampshire combined have less people within their borders. The county is made up of eleven cities and 43 towns, and the property valuation of its citizens is climbing toward the billion mark.

Geographically the county may be compared in shape with a big cup, the northwestern towns of Ashby, Townsend, Pepperell, Groton and Shirley furnishing the semblance of a small handle. It stretches from the New Hampshire line down to the towns of Holliston, Hopkinton and Sherborn south of Framingham. Its most western towns are north of and adjacent to Fitchburg. In any new arrangement of boundary lines we should certainly lose some of the members of the Middlesex family to Norfolk and Worcester counties. It need not be anticipated that the day for saying farewell is near.

One of the unfortunate features of the present layout of Middlesex is that its principal shire town is located at the extreme eastern edge of the county. It requires a long and tiresome journey from many of the towns to reach it. The city has only a few unimportant railroad stations within its borders and the county buildings are located in an out-of-the-way corner that is not easy to reach.

It is certainly a source of inconvenience to a considerable portion of the people of old Middlesex that the business of the county is being more and more centralized in Cambridge. For even the people of Lowell, making up approximately one-seventh of the population of the county, it has come to be more or less of a hardship that they are compelled to journey to Boston and then out to the university city when they have business to transact with the officials or in the courts.

There may be no way out of the situation, but it is certainly not an entirely satisfactory state of affairs that the whole of northern Middlesex should be compelled to have all of its cases that reach the criminal courts considered in Cambridge. To many the expense of securing justice under the present arrangement is a matter to be reckoned with. And the bill of rights of Massachusetts provides that "justice shall be free." Present railroad rates and the location of the criminal courts seem, however, to have put one over on the framers of the constitution.

WAGES AND COST OF LIVING

"The administration does not expect labor to do it all. There must be further reductions in the cost of living that will enable the workingman to accept a reduced wage."

This paragraph, quoted from the Washington correspondence of H. H. Hunt, one of the most reliable of Washington writers, goes to the very heart of the big problem now pressing for solution.

That problem is to find a new level where wages and cost of living can meet with reasonable equity to all concerned.

That the administration realizes that there is far too great a discrepancy between the production and retail sales costs of those things which the workingman must buy, is a good sign.

It is probably unfair to the retailer to charge all of this discrepancy to him. He represents but a part of the machinery of distribution.

Between him and the original manufacturer are brokers, jobbers, wholesalers and whatnot, all performing more or less useful functions, the cost and profit of which are finally translated into terms of price to the retailer.

On top of this, the retailer is entitled to a fair profit.

What the workingman, or any other consumer, is interested in, is what he pays to the retailer.

This is the figure that must be taken into account when cost of living, in its relation to wages, is being considered.

There is no doubt that much of the recent talk about reduced cost of living is based upon decreased prices received by the manufacturer and farmer.

Some of this great decrease has been reflected in retail prices, but not enough to stimulate buying to the extent that it must be stimulated before there can be a return of real prosperity.—N.E.A.

DEACON CARTER

No city can boast of many men so deeply devoted to charitable works as was Deacon Carter, the announcement of whose death brings sorrow to those religious and other organizations which were the beneficiaries of his generous donations. His benevolence was an inspiration to others and will prove so to those who will come after him. He believed that wealth can be applied to no better purpose than the relief of suffering and the uplift of his fellowmen.

The sudden death of Captain Brosnan of the police department, removes an upright, courteous and courageous official. His record in the department has many proofs of his fearless fidelity to duty and his unflinching courage in every emergency. He was a fine type of the experienced police officer who performed his duty without being too officious.

The federal government having offered $1 for the famous old yacht America, why would it not be well for someone hereabouts to bid a little higher and get the old craft to anchor in the Merrimack as a memorial to her former owner—General Benjamin F. Butler?

Punitive action is demanded against federal officials in Washington, who have exceeded the annual appropriations for their departments by about half a billion dollars, and we may expect to see some of them starting jailward about the same time that the sun begins rising in the west.

Governor Cox says that Massachusetts was the first place in the country "to realize the need for adjusting the street railway problem." This, then, was evidently one of the instances in which the early bird did not catch the worm, for we have the "unadjusted" problems still with us.

"The newspaper is the great educative institution before which even colleges and universities must bow," says former Ambassador John W. Davis, but some people seem never to get enough of education to appreciate the fact.

With Chairman Delaney frantically hammering with his gavel and all of the members trying to talk at once, perhaps we have a practical example of the desirability of open sessions of the school board that The Sun helped to bring about.

Senator Harrison, democrat, of Mississippi, in a speech in the senate, referred to "long, lean, lanky, hungry republicans." There ought not to be many of that kind on Beacon hill when the stock market favors are going round.

An argument in favor of electing more farmers to the general court—the legislatures of other New England states have adjourned so that their members could go home and attend to their spring planting.

That not all the heroines are on the movie screen is shown by the act of Miss Geraldine Vanderburgh, Lowell General hospital nurse, in saving a venturesome small boy from death by drowning.

For the benefit of the man with a thirst, it may be mentioned that beer is more likely to be "proscribed" than "prescribed" when congress gets through acting on Dr. Palmer's edict opening the sluiceways of booze.

No Maud, we do not credit the rumor that it will be necessary to open the empty jails to accommodate the guilty legislators caught in the Boston L probe.

The meanest of the mean—the individual who undertook to set fire to a Portsmouth, N. H., church.

Like suicide, refusal to arbitrate may be considered confession.

SEEN AND HEARD

Success depends just as much on knowing not what to do as what to do.

The confidence man is always pleased to meet wise guys who know it all.

Ladies, do you know anything worse than to have a rain right after washing the windows? Some people don't wash their windows. But it isn't on account of the rain. Just plain indifference, plus laziness, that's all.

Prohibition in Ontario, said a fellow with whom we talked at the hotel a few evenings ago, is going to make it powerful dry around Detroit. One by one the booze gates are closed.

A genial travelling man, discussing automobiles and their ever increasing numbers, said he counted 700 in Washington square, Haverhill, while he was enjoying a few minutes respite from his arduous duties in a hotel there a few days ago. And he is not a drinking man, either.

Ducks Were Overloaded

A country housewife of good intentions, but with little culinary knowledge, decided to try her hand at cake making. The result was somewhat on the heavy side, and, after offering it to the various members of her household, she threw it to the ducks in disgust. A short time afterward two urchins tapped at her door. "I say, missus," they shouted, "your ducks have gunk!"

Made Dire Threat

A cotton spinner, after many fruitless attempts to get a manufacturer to settle his account, wrote him a letter couched in very strong terms.

The pair met the following day, and the manufacturer protested against the language used in the note.

"Every account I get," he explained, "is thrown into a basket, and once a month I dip my hand in and draw out four bills. Those four are paid. Now, if I get any more impudent letters from you, your bill won't even get into the basket!"

Wise Small Boy

A small boy was taken to see the new baby, whom he eyed very critically.

"Why, he's got no hair, father," was his first remark.

The fact was admitted.

"And he's got no teeth, father," was the next comment.

The circumstances could not be denied.

"I tell you what, father," was the final observation, "you've been swindled; he's an old one."

At "Gnashaway"

A correspondent of the Boston Herald remarks: "Your inquiry as to the whereabouts of the popcorn man who shoved his basket ahead of him as he enticingly cried his wares is easily answered. He may be found at Nashua, N. H., where he daily passes through all trains. His activities have supplanted the pause which the trains used to make at that station in the old days. Some of your readers will doubtless recall how the brakeman used to stick his head in the door and shout, "Nashua—10 minutes for refreshments—gnash-away."—Manchester Mirror.

Telling It on Sweeney

A Boston municipal reformer, in the course of an address to Harvard students, said:

"Man wasn't made to loaf. The minute he begins to loaf he takes to drink or hypochondria—I don't know which is worse.

"There's a loafing hypochondriac named Sweeney who spends all his time talking about his health. He's always ailing and usually when you go to see him you find him in bed with a headache or rheumatism or dyspepsia or what not.

"Sweeney was tottering feebly down the street one day when he fell in with a burly friend named George.

"'George,' he said, 'I'd give anything to be as strong and healthy as you are. What do you live on?'

"'I live on fruit,' said George.

"'Fruit, eh?' said Sweeney eagerly. 'That sounds good. I'll have to try it. What kind of fruit, George?'

"'The fruit of labor,' George answered significantly."—Washington Star.

A Mother

She is your own; a gift, somehow;
You see no reasons why:
There is a softness on her brow
And a warmth in her deep eye
Which have a perfect power to bless
And fill your heart with thankfulness.

She holds might in her soft speech,
A fire in her deep smile,
That down into your soul can reach
And make it tremble, while
You feel the wealth of all Earth's lands
Is less than are her heart, her hands.

She does not bargain for return;
She clamors not for pay:—
You only know you could not earn
Though you should live for aye,
The tenderness she gladly gives,
The flawless love in which she lives.

ALFRED ARNOLD.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

The public is deeply interested in murder trials. The counters on newspaper presses give assurance of that fact. There are some people who decry such interest as being "morbid," but if it is so, then human nature itself must be "morbid" for the interest is almost as widespread. There have been a considerable number of noted trials for homicide here in Massachusetts, and some of them have attracted nation-wide attention. One such was the placing of Lizzie Borden of Fall River before a jury on the charge of parental murder. A small army of newspaper men followed the case. A Boston and New York newspaper were represented by Joe Howard, dean of reporters and a wonderful descriptive writer. Miss Borden was acquitted and that fact puts an end to comment on the way in which the case ended. Many reports indicated that, although she was a wealthy woman, her life after the trial was far from being a happy one. The Jane Toppan case attracted wide attention because of the peculiar elements of mystery that entered into it and the characteristics of the unbalanced nurse-poisoner. It will be remembered that a Lowell family was intimately connected with this case. The long-drawn-out trial of Charles R. Tucker, for the killing of Mabel Page of Weston, about a dozen years ago, at the time aroused many people of Massachusetts to a high pitch of excitement. Tucker was electrocuted. The case was one over which there was much disagreement among those who followed it closely in the court room. It was claimed by some that, while the finger of suspicion may have pointed darkly in the direction of Tucker as the man who killed Miss Page, the evidence was not such as to convince beyond a reasonable doubt. Some tens of thousands of people took this view of the outcome of the trial and petitioned Gov. Curtis Guild to commute the condemned man's sentence to imprisonment for life. The governor refused to interfere, and his refusal, it has been claimed by some, was based in part on what he thought was evidence in the case, but which never was presented to the jury.

Seven-and-a-half cents a pound or $8.25 a hundred. This is how sugar was selling in a local grocery store one day this week. As a rule the more you buy of anything, the cheaper the price is, but in this particular instance it was just the opposite. This grocer had a large sign in the window of his store bearing the inscription, "Sugar, 7½ cents a pound." It was the sign that attracted my attention and I immediately entered the place and enquired if I could purchase 100 pounds of the sweet stuff and the reply was in the affirmative. Believing I might get the goods cheaper by buying in 100-pound lot, I enquired what the price would be, and I was told $8.25. "How do you get that way," I said, "7½ cents a pound or $8.25 a hundred?" I was then informed that sugar at 7½ cents a pound was what grocers call a "loader," and that every time a pound of the stuff was sold at that price the retailer lost half a cent, for sugar at wholesale was the $8 a hundred. The grocer said he was willing to sell me the sugar at cost price, but he would charge 25 cents for delivery. This is a new way of doing business.

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The coal consumer who puts his coal in now at the present low prices is really placing a bet with the odds five to one in his favor. The only two things that can lower the prices this year are lower freight rates and a reduction of the base price at the mines. The latter, instead of going down, is going up, and the roads are in such a financial condition that we see no hope of lower freight rates. The cash discount on the May prices, effective Monday, will be 35 cents per ton. We can only advise you to put in your orders now and pay for the same and you will help save a serious situation later.

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HAYS ADDRESSES PUBLISHERS

Postmaster General Outlines Attitude of Department Toward Press

Realizes Importance of Quick Delivery of Papers and Pledges Co-operation

NEW YORK, April 29.—Postmaster General Hays in an address yesterday at the annual luncheon of the American Newspaper Publishers association, outlined the attitude of his department toward the press.

"There are two things in connection with our relation which I would state and re-emphasize. First, it is no part of the primary business of the post-office department to act as a censor of the press. This should not and will not be.

"Second, we are going to get along together and do the right thing in all of these matters of classification, rates, etc., and I want it distinctly understood there will never be any occasion when a publisher with any kind of a grievance is not thrice welcome to sit down with the head of the department and work it out."

Must Have Papers on Time

He promised to give the question of second class mails his closest attention, saying that the one unpardonable sin of the postoffice is not to deliver the daily newspaper on time.

"The newspaper is pre-eminently a thing a man wants when he wants it, and if he can't have it when he wants it, he doesn't want it at all," he said.

"We all know that the newspapers go to press on time, that they get off the press on time, that they are delivered to the postoffice on time, and that therefore if they do not reach their subscribers on time the fault lies not with the publishers but with the post-office department.

"And, generally speaking, that's so. I'm not going to dodge the responsibility. There's no use in dodging when the dodging isn't good."

Mr. Hays brought a personal message from President Harding. The president told him yesterday, he said, to tell the publishers "we expect your help in bringing this republic and its varied interests into the straight-forward track again."

Institution For Service

Mr. Hays told the publishers he was determined to put the entire postal service upon a purely business basis—"so serviceable and so sound that no political party will ever again dare attempt to ignore or evade it ultimately."

"The postal establishment is most certainly not an institution of profit nor politics," he said, "but an institution for service. You can't expect men and women to give service if they are to be shuttlecocks of politics."

He said he would make certain that honest and efficient service would be honestly recognized in the department; that he would make such rectifications "as in all decency and fairness must be made to assure a square deal" and that the civil service would be broadened and strengthened wherever possible.

Welfare Department

He outlined plans for improving the condition of the employes through the agency of a new welfare department in the service. He said that although the employes have the brains and the hands to do their jobs well, the working conditions in many places were unsatisfactory.

Outlining a comprehensive system for bettering the service generally, he recounted steps that have been taken to facilitate foreign and airplane mail. Now that arrangements have been made for sending mail to soviet Russia, he said, the foreign mail service is again at normalcy.

As an adjunct to the campaign for increasing trade between the United States and South America, Mr. Hays said international money orders may now be exchanged with many of the South and Central American countries and negotiations are being conducted with the postal administrations of all the others.

To Wipe Out Robberies

"It is expected," he said, "that very soon it will be possible for American exporters to receive payment for their goods wherever shipped in South America by postal money orders payable in dollars at their local post-offices.

"In this connection, too, I might suggest that I hope it will be possible to induce the commercial interests of the chambers of commerce to send delegates to the Pan-American postal congress at Buenos Aires next August to help develop this."

Mr. Hays emphasized his recent announcement that he was determined to wipe out mail robberies. He declared the loss of more than $6,000,000 in 33 major robberies last year to be an intolerable situation.

"We assume that the mail is the one most inviolate thing in the country and it must be kept so," he said.

BOTTLE OF MILK AIDS CHILD'S EDUCATION

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 28.—She's happy and healthy.

The Parent-Teacher association of this city is seeing to that.

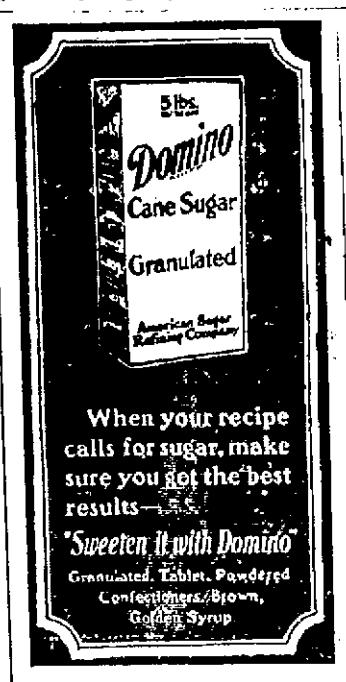
Experiments have taught members of the association that health and education are inseparable.

And so the association supplies a half pint of milk at recess time each morning to 1000 school children of this city.

Those financially able pay 20 cents weekly; those unable pay nothing.

And the kiddies, who used to grow restless and hungry before noon, now spend the morning quietly at study, devoting all their attention to lessons and entering into their recess play with added vigor.

Because of their "morning bottle," their grade marks are higher than ever before in the history of San Diego's schools, records show.



TO VOTE ON KNOX PEACE RESOLUTION TOMORROW

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The senate will vote on the Knox peace resolution Saturday under a tacit agreement reach yesterday during the opening debate. Its adoption was conceded on all sides, with few senators desiring to speak, and the republican and democratic leaders, Senators Lodge of Massachusetts and Underwood of Alabama, arranged at yesterdy's session for final disposition on Saturday to clear the way for consideration of the emergency tariff bill next Monday.

The peace resolution was attacked from both republican and democratic sides yesterday, Senator Nelson, republican, Minnesota, unexpectedly opening the debate with a broadside at the resolution that dissipated republican hopes for a united front on adoption of the measure. Senator Underwood also spoke at length against the resolution, but with no other senators ready to proceed, the senate recessed until today, when Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, ranking democrat on the foreign relations committee, and Senators King of Utah and Pomerene of Ohio and other democrats are scheduled to speak.

Defense of the resolution probably will come on Saturday when Senators Lodge, Knox, Borah and others are expected to take the floor.

Senator Nelson, who was a "mild reservationist" in the controversy over the treaty of Versailles, criticised the Knox resolution yesterday as "halting, equivocal and only partial." He deplored its failure to support reparation and disarmament demands on Germany and said adoption would "encourage Germany to continue with her reluctance to comply with the treaty of Versailles as to disarmament and reparations."

Senator Underwood assailed the resolution as "inopportune," in view of reparations negotiations, and also as an "abandonment" of the allies. He declared it would "compromise the honor of our people," and make the United States an "outsider" in claiming the Island of Yap, or other war settlements.

Senator McKellar, democrat, Tennessee, interjected a statement that the resolution was unprecedented and that the United States could not reserve claims under the treaty of Versailles without being a party to that treaty. Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, replied that it was "a good precedent" to be established.

"We may not have a right to expect that the party in power should ratify the treaty of Versailles, but we do have a right to expect the conclusion of a peace which would be in accord with the aims of the war," Senator Underwood said, during his address.

Senator Watson, democrat, Georgia, interrupted to say that "the present uncertainty should be ended speedily," and Senator Underwood replied that adoption of the pending resolution would not "fix a definite status of peace," as there was no knowing that Germany "will agree to the provisions of this resolution."

Senator Watson said the present and preceding administrations had taken the position that the United States was entitled to the spoils and asked whether the United States would not be abandoning American claims by the resolution.

"Unquestionably," Senator Underwood replied, "we abandon our allies absolutely and unconditionally and reach a status of peace. By passage of this resolution we abandon our rights as a war associate."

"By this resolution," said Senator Nelson, "we insist upon full reparation for ourselves, but are wholly oblivious as to whether our allies by whose side and aid we vanquished the common enemy, secure any reparation at all. We are also by this resolution, wholly oblivious to the disarmament of Germany—a most vital matter to the future of the world. So long as we get reparation for ourselves, as long as we get our pound of flesh, we have no concern for bleeding France."

Senator Nelson asserted that he would be willing to reach peace with Austria by resolution but not with Germany. With Austria disintegrated, he said, reparations and disarmament in her case were not of so much concern.

FOCH OVERWHELMED WITH LETTERS

PARIS, April 12.—Marshal Foch says that one of his great regrets is that he has not time enough to properly digest the big mail he receives. Like most men in his conspicuous position, he gets daily a batch of correspondence, that keeps his aids busy, sifting the trivial and eccentric from the important and interesting.

Friends and enemies alike write him profusely and their letters run the whole gamut from ecstatic adulation to frenzied vituperation. This morning he received a dozen letters and as many packages from the same person, an American. All were registered. The American must have known that this class of mail gets first attention by the Marshal's staff.

Nearly every mail brings a letter from some pro-German in America inviting the marshal to have himself hanged or to go to the place of fire and brimstone. By every mail someone sends him an ode or a song written in his honor.

Mothers write him informing him they have named the finest baby in the world after him, and American fathers send word that they would have taken a good drink in his honor on some Anniversary or other had not the United States gone dry.

Authors send him their books and inventors forward descriptions of wonderful new engines of destruction or schemes to suppress war.

The marshal's advice is asked on all the subjects with which he says he is least familiar.

What has amused him most lately was a post card received from San Francisco with the photographs of two pickaninnies and the inscription "Here's Young America."

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Men's Heavy Blue R.R. Overalls, $1.75 value 99¢
Men's Good Strong Work Pants, all sizes, regular $2.00 value ..... 99¢ Pair
Men's Cotton Lisle Hosiery, regular 25c value, all colors ..... 7 Pairs for 99¢

Ladies' Dry Goods Section

Girls' Middy Blouses, made of white Lonsdale jean, regular $2.00 value ..... 99¢
Children's Chambray and Gingham Dresses with bloomers, regular $2.00 value..... 99¢
Women's Outsize Vests, with or without sleeves, regular 25c value.....7 for 99¢
Women's Ribbed Top Hosiery, regular and outsize, regular 19c value.....7 Pairs for 99¢
Women's Silk Stockings, semi-fashioned, seamed back hosiery, regular 79c value, 2 Pairs for 99¢
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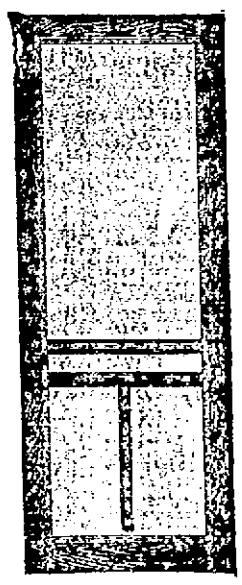

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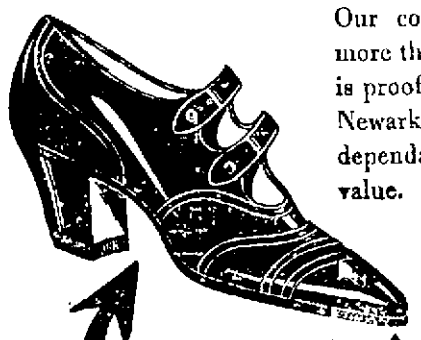

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SIMONS REPLIES TO HIS CRITICS

German Minister Answers Charge of Failure to Fight Out Question of War Guilt

Says Allied Envoys Had Documents Containing German Confession

BERLIN, April 29.—(By the Associated Press)—During the discussion in the Reichstag today on reparations, Dr. Simons, the foreign minister, replied to critics who charged him with failure to fight out the question of war guilt with the British prime minister, Mr. Lloyd George, at the London conference.

"I hold these reproaches to be unwarranted," Dr. Simons declared. "Before me sat men who held in their hands documents containing our confession of guilt. Granting that this confession was extorted, it behooved me to make the best I could of the situation.

"A protest on my part would immediately preclude further confidential negotiations with Mr. Lloyd George."

The foreign minister told the members the present debate in the reichstag would not contribute any improvement to Germany's situation.

Referring to the fact that Germany, under the peace treaty, was forced to reduce her military forces to the minimum, Dr. Simons declared this was not being imitated by Germany's neighbors. The French, he said, were maintaining an army of 800,000 men, while the Belgian army exceeded the number of men permitted Germany. Poland, he asserted, had 600,000 men under arms.

Returning to the reparations issues, the foreign minister said, in reply to charges that he was late in appealing to President Harding, that he had attempted to put out a "feeler" weeks ago but had failed. Therefore, the present direct action had been decided on.

LEGISLATIVE INQUIRY

Hearing Interrupted When Former Representative Read Legislative Report

BOSTON, April 29.—The legislative inquiry into alleged irregularities in connection with bills passed in 1918 and 1919 was interrupted for a time today when former Representative Thomas A. Niland of Boston insisted upon discussing legislation of years previous to those under review.

Niland protested when the chairman checked him while reading from a legislative report of 1890 and was supported by several spectators, who objected to the rulings. The chairman immediately ordered the room cleared and the hearing was suspended.

After a short recess the witness was permitted to proceed, with the understanding that he should confine himself to the matters under investigation.

BRITISH AVIATORS TO INSTRUCT JAPANESE

TOKIO, April 6. (Delayed)—Negotiations between the Japanese and British governments for employment of English navy aviators as instructors for Japanese navy aviators have been concluded. Twenty reserve flight officers of the British marine have already left England for Japan and are expected here shortly.

Fireworks in Police Court

Continued

court was about to accede to his request that another day be assigned, when counsel for Cohen brought out the fact that Schulman conducts his business on Saturday, unperturbed by possible irreligious implications. Schulman explained that he indeed indulges in mercantile pursuits on Saturday, but that such activities are not embarked upon until after religious services have been attended at 10 a. m., the hour set for the opening of court. Nevertheless, when His Honor stated that the defendant deserves some consideration, having missed one school session because of a continuance to today to satisfy Schulman's religious fe feelings, the latter bewailed the results to his business, and asked what would become of it.

Dr. Matthew Mahoney, the first witness for the prosecution, told of treating young Schulman on April 15 and 16, the days following the assault, for a "red, swollen condition of the right side of the face, together with three abrasions, and difficulty on the part of the patient in opening his mouth." Morris Schulman, the father of the youth, then told of seeing Cohen smite his child two or three times. The boy himself, weeping copiously on the stand, said he did not know why Cohen struck him, but afterwards retracted this statement when reminded of a quarrel he had had with Louis, the defendant's young brother. Cohen, on the stand, said he left his house on the evening of the affair to go to the rescue of his little brother, Louis, whose cries he heard. He was informed, he said, that the Schulman boy had evoked these wails, and added that young Schulman called him a vile name, while clutching a large stone menacingly. He did not hit the boy, he said, merely pushing him when Schulman senior appeared on the run. He fled, pursued by the elder Schulman, who lay in wait for him for two hours, he testified. Several small boys told of the younger Cohen boy being hit in the side by a stone wielded by young Schulman, who also, they said, socked the little Cohen boy in the eye. Judge Enright ruled that these boyish hostilities did not justify the defendant in assailing Saul Schulman, but unwilling to give Cohen a record he continued the case in order that civil satisfaction might be arranged.

WILL NOT HAVE VACATIONS

Six members of the local fire department will not enjoy vacations this summer, according to Commissioner John F. Salmon, owing to the fact that they have not been in the service of the department a year. All those whose first year of service expires during the vacation period—that is, from April to November—will be given a two weeks' vacation this year.

HITCHCOCK RAPS KNOX RESOLVE

Says Adoption Would Be Attempt to Dictate Harding International Policies

Called "Idle and Ineffective"—Says Measure Being "Railroaded" Through

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Adoption of the Knox peace resolution would be an attempt to dictate the international policies of President Harding, Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, ranking democrat on the foreign relations committee, charged today in the senate.

The Nebraska senator attacked the measure as "idle and ineffective" and declared that it was being "railroaded" through like a gas franchise through a city council "when the votes can be depended upon." The resolution is to be voted on tomorrow.

AUDITOR UNDER ARREST

Accused of Conspiracy to Steal $6000 From Boston Stock Brokerage Firm

BOSTON, April 29.—The arrest of John T. Byrnes, an auditor, for conspiracy to steal $6200 from Tucker, Bartholomew & Co., a stock brokerage firm, and the probable arrest of others in connection with a scheme involving losses of approximately $25,000 by local brokerage houses, was announced by the police today. The local activities were said to constitute one end of an inquiry that was being prosecuted simultaneously in New York and Philadelphia to run down those responsible for operations estimated to have resulted in aggregate profit of $75,000.

The stock exchanges of the three cities have been called into the inquiry for the protection of their members who were victims of the scheme, although all executions of transactions were said to have been made on the New York curb market.

The stock involved was that of a perfume company which rose from a few dollars a share to $12.50 a share under operations that left brokerage firms which were used by the operators as mediums for their transactions with large amounts of stock purchased at high prices on their hands when the paper values suddenly collapsed.

Second Arrest

A second arrest was made subsequently when Edward Casey, a lawyer, was charged with conspiring to steal from Tucker, Bartholomew & Co. The same amount was named in his case as in that of Byrnes, and it was said that this amount covered the charge against both. Each pleaded not guilty when arraigned. They were held in $2000 bonds.

UNDERGROUND STILLS FOUND BY OFFICERS

BRISTOL, R. I., April 29.—A whiskey distillery, 20 feet underground, containing three illicit whiskey stills and accessible through an old well and two trap doors, was discovered on a deserted farm lot near this town early last night by federal prohibition enforcement agents.

The three whiskey stills seized, of 30, 50 and 60-gallon sizes, were made of solid copper and built on a cement base, which covered more than 40 square feet of space. Two barrels, containing more than 400 gallons of moonshine whiskey, were seized, and also a large quantity of mash and coloring for the manufacture of whiskey.

The surface on top of the "dugout" distillery was covered with a large bed of flowers, two large glass windows on a banking, surrounded with potted plants, furnishing sufficient light for the still operators below.

The agents say they traced an electric wire to a nearby farmhouse, which they allege has been used as a signal to notify the operators of the still of the approach of any stranger near the "garden."

Warrants have been issued for the arrest of three men, who, the federal authorities claim, have made thousands of gallons of moonshine, distributing it in large quantities in Providence and Pawtucket.

Street Railway Situation

Continued

management, as directed by the trustees, to run the cars if there is a strike, continued. If indications of a strike continue, strike-breakers will be in Lowell late Sunday afternoon and will have their evening meal here. How many will be brought to Lowell has not been ascertained. Company officials frankly state that they are preparing for the worst, but hoping for the best.

Movement Endorsed

At a regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council held last evening with President Timothy O'Rourke in the chair, it was voted to endorse the movement of the carmen's union for a wage arbitration, while moral and financial support was also voted the organization for whatever action they may decide upon.

Submit Statements

BOSTON, April 29.—Statements outlining the respective positions as to arbitration of the union employes and the public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts street railway in the pending wage controversy were submitted to the state board of conciliation and arbitration today.

The state board after conferences with both sides yesterday had expressed hope of being able to arrange a joint conference today. Neither side had appeared at the state house late this afternoon.

MISSION TO IRELAND

Earl of Derby to Resume Conversations With Sinn Fein Representatives

LONDON, April 29.—Conversations between the Earl of Derby and Irish Sinn Fein representatives will be resumed in a few days when the earl returns to the island, said the London Times today. He will take no written proposals from the British government, but will be empowered to speak as Prime Minister Lloyd George's accredited envoy, the newspaper said. The earl had another long interview with Mr. Lloyd George yesterday.

It is understood the object of his mission to Ireland is generally to prepare a way to a truce, during which it will be possible for the elections in Southern Ireland to be held in perfect freedom. There have been many rumors regarding the terms the government will offer, the Times declared, but nothing has developed that has given a clear outline of the conditions to be imposed.

R. R.'S UNNECESSARILY OVER-CAPITALIZED

CHICAGO, April 29.—Charges that many railroads were "fictitiously or unnecessarily over capitalized" were made by W. Jett Lauck, consulting economist for the railroad labor unions, today, in the second day of union testimony in the railroad labor board hearing into the demands of the roads for lower wages.

Mr. Lauck cited 29 of what he termed representative railroads which he said were fictitiously or unnecessarily over capitalized to the extent of $1,217,000,000. The witness said "the result of financial mismanagement so far as financial status and physical condition of the transportation industry prior to the war is concerned, together with the relation of the employes to the final situation which developed" might be summarized as follows:

"1—The increased returns resulting from the efforts of operating and mechanical officials and railway employes in general were absorbed by unwarranted security issues and distributed as bonuses to the underwriting syndicates or to the holders of securities.

"2—Railroad debts, as a rule, were not paid. Old obligations were refunded into new issues and fixed charges accumulated and increased.

"3—Proper reserves for depreciation of property and equipment were not set aside from current earnings.

"4—As the cost of materials and surplus advanced, the net income of the railroads declined.

"5—As the result of this situation, the margin of safety of railway net income over fixed charges was so reduced that railroad securities could not be sold and railway credit was impaired.

"6—The final outcome of the mismanagement of the railroads prior to the war came in 1917, when the entire industry collapsed because of the unusual pressure placed upon it. Operating and mechanical officials, because of the absorption of earnings arising from financial mismanagement, had been forced to defer much needed improvements on account of lack of funds or credit, and had been compelled to permit the physical deterioration of the equipment and properties of the railway companies. As a consequence, the transportation industry was unable to withstand the unusual strain which our entrance into the war imposed on it.

"7—Although the employes were debarred from fair participation in earnings, labor costs of operation steadily declined up to 1914. Rates of pay to employes were inadequate, working standards were bad and hours on duty excessive."

After government control ended, Mr. Lauck said, the roads returned to what he termed pre-war evils. Operating control was decentralized, the economies of unified direction were lost, capital and credit were withheld and the roads elected to maintain excessive prices and profits for railroad materials and supplies and to contract for repair work at higher prices than necessary, he said.

Samuel Higgins, the third of the three new board members recently appointed by President Harding, was present today.

TRAFFIC RULES

Chamber of Commerce Committee Proposes New Traffic Rules For the Downtown Section

Traffic rules for the downtown section of Lowell which will be much more lenient to automobile owners than those now in effect are proposed in an ordinance prepared by the traffic committee of the chamber of commerce and submitted today to Mayor Thompson by Secretary-Manager Geo. F. Wells of the chamber for consideration by the municipal council.

One example of this leniency is the section which extends the time in which autos may be parked in Merrimack, Central and Market streets from from five minutes to thirty minutes.

The proposed ordinance also stipulates that Prescott street and Merrimack street from John street to the railroad tracks shall be non-stop areas except for loading and unloading. It also provides that vehicles shall not stop within 20 feet of the intersection of two streets nor within 15 feet of a fire hydrant. The proposed ordinance will probably come before the council for consideration Tuesday.

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THE NUMBER NINE For Something Fine

It is, as you will presently learn, a number of special significance in connection with the joint celebration in fifty towns from Utica, N. Y., to Houlton, Me., of the

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STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, April 29.—The stock market developed a firm to strong undertone at the outset of today's dealings, despite prospects of tighter money, as indicated by yesterday's late advance of call loans to 7 per cent. Oils, steels, equipments, tobaccos, textiles and motor specialties shared in the initial movement at the advances which extended from liberal fractions to 1½ points. Rails were the only issues to lag. Early exchange rates on London eased slightly.

Ignoring the opening and renewal rate of 7 per cent. for call money, the market made further upward progress during a lively forenoon. In extent of gains, oils continued to lead, advancing 1 to 4 points. Equipments were next in favor, Baldwin Locomotive featuring that division at a gain of almost three points. Steels extended their rise with Crucible as the foremost feature and motor subsidiaries of the rubber group gained 1 to 2½ points. International Paper, Famous Players, American Can and Adams Express, were among the miscellaneous issues at 1 to 3 point advances. Gains among rails were limited to 1 point in St. Paul, common and preferred, Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Reading.

Equipments and leathers as well as several of the rails, including Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, were prominent during the mid-session at appreciable gains. The market reacted 1 to 4 points, however, when high grade oils, especially Mexican and Pan-American Petroleums and Royal Dutch, became the objectives of a bear drive.

Rubber shares, especially the tire group, added to their gains in the final hour, but oils, steels and equipments extended their reactions. The closing was heavy.

New York Clearings

NEW YORK, April 29.—Exchanges $577,810,607; balances $64,139,607.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, April 29.—Cotton futures opened steady. May, 12.13; July, 12.65; October, 13.24; December, 13.72; January, 13.64.

Cotton futures closed steady. May 12.13; July 12.64; Oct. 13.27; Dec. 13.72; Jan. 13.87.

Spot quiet; middling 12.35.

Money Market

NEW YORK, April 29.—Time loans firm; 60 days, 90 days and 6 months 6½ to 7 per cent.

Call money ,run; high, 7; low, 7; ruling rate, 7; closing bid, 6; offered at 7; last loan, 7. Bank acceptances, 6.

Liberty bonds closed: 3½s 88.70; first 4s 87.50; second 4s 87.30; first 4¼s 87.40; second 4¼s 87.32; third 4¼s 90.50; fourth 4¼s 87.52; victory 3¾s 97.92; victory 4¾s 97.96.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	38½	37¼	37½
Alaska Gold	⅞	⅞	⅞
Am Beet Sug	35½	37¼	37¾
Am Bosch Mag	60	59	59
Am Can	31¾	30½	30½
do pf	84	84	84
Am Car Fdy pf	129½	127¾	128
Am Cot Oil	20½	20¼	20½
Am H & L	11¾	9¾	11½
do pf	49½	45½	48
Am Ice	58½	57¾	57¾
Am Int Corp	48	46¼	46¾
Am Loco	90¼	88½	88½
Am Smelt	42¾	42	42¾
Am Sug	89¾	88¾	88¾
Am Sumatra	71⅞	71	71½
Am Wool	81	78	78¾
do pf	97½	97½	97½
Anaconda	41⅞	40⅝	40⅝
Atch	81⅞	81⅞	81⅞
At Gulf	39¼	38	38¼
Baldwin	92⅝	89½	90½
B & O	37½	36½	36⅝
do pfd	49¾	49¾	49¾
Beth Steel A	57	57	57
do B	61	59¼	59¾
B R T	12¾	12⅝	12⅝
Butte & Sup	13½	13¼	13½
Cal Pete	46⅝	45¾	46
Can Pac	111½	111	111
Cent Lea	37½	34¾	36⅝
do pfd	74½	72½	74½
Cerro de Pasca	29	29	29
Chandler Motors	84¾	83	83½
Ches & Ohio	62	62	62
Chic Mil & St Paul	26	25½	25½
do pfd	41⅞	40½	40½
do N W	64	64	64
C R I & P	28	27¾	27¾
Chile	11¾	11¾	11¾
Chino	24⅞	24½	24⅞
*Col G & E	60¼	59¾	59¾
Col Fuel	30¼	29¾	30¼
Cont Candy	1⅞	1⅝	1⅞
Corn Pro	76¾	74½	74¾
Cru Steel	84½	81¼	82
Cuba Cane	19	18½	19
Den & R G.pf	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Erie	13¼	13	13
do pf	19¾	19	19½
do 2d	13¼	13¼	13¼
Fisk Tire	17¾	16⅝	17⅝
Gen Elec	137¼	136½	136½
Gen Motors	13⅞	13⅝	13⅝
Goodrich	39¾	37¾	38⅝
Gt No pf	71⅝	70¾	70¾
Inspiration	36	35¾	35⅞
Int Harvester	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝
Int Nickel	16	15⅝	15⅝
Int Mer Mar	15½	14½	14½
do pf	55	54⅜	54⅞
Int Paper	64¾	63	63⅜
Kennecott	20⅝	20¼	20¼
K City S	27	24⅝	26⅛
do pf	50	50	50
Lack Steel	54⅞	52⅞	53
Lehigh Valley	49¾	49¾	49¾
Maxwell	5¾	5¾	5¾
Mex Pete	161	145	146½
Miami	23¼	23	23½
Middle States Oil	15	14⅜	14¾
Midvale	29½	25¾	29¼
M K T Com	2¼	2⅛	2⅛
Mo Pac	18¾	18⅝	18⅝
do pf	38	37¾	37¾
Nev Cons	11¾	11¾	11¾
N R Air B	76	75	75½
N Y Cent	70¼	69¼	69½
N R N H & H	17¾	17¼	17⅝
Nor & West	95¾	95	95⅞
No Pac	74½	72⅝	74¾
Ohio Gas	35½	35⅞	35⅞
Pan Am	72½	69	69⅞
Penn	35	34⅞	35
Peo Gas	47½	47¼	47¾
Pierce Arrow	35⅞	34½	34½
Pitts Coal	62¼	62	62
P W V	55⅝	57½	55⅝
*Pullman	104	103	103
Punta Sugar	42½	41½	41½
Ray Cons	13¾	13⅝	13⅝
Ry St Sp Co	59	55¾	55¾
Reading	74½	72¾	72⅞
Rep I S	65½	63¾	63¾
Royal D	63½	67¼	68¾
Shell Transport	45¾	45½	45¾
Sinclair	27¾	25½	26⅞
So Pac	75¾	75	75¼
So Sy	21⅝	21¾	21⅞
do pfd	55	55	55
St L & Frisco	22⅞	22¼	22½
Stromberg	43¼	41	41⅞
Studebaker	93¼	90½	90¾
Tenn Cop	10¼	10⅜	10⅜
Tex Oil	41¼	40⅜	40⅜
Tex Pac	21⅞	20⅞	20⅞
Third Ave	17	17	17
Tobacco Pro	54½	52	53⅝
Transcontinental	11¾	11½	11¾
U Pac	117	116½	117
do pfd	63½	62	62
U S Food Pro	20½	20½	20½
U S I Al	71	69½	70
Un Fruit	111¾	110½	110½
U S Rub	78	75½	77
do pf	101⅞	101⅞	101¾
U S Steel	84	82¾	83
do pf	110½	110	110½
Utah Copper	54½	53½	53½
Va Chem	25⅞	24½	25⅝
Wab	7½	7¼	7¼
do A	20½	20½	20½
Willys	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Wes'house	47½	47	47
Worthington Pump	52¾	49⅞	50¾

BOSTON, April 29.—Fractional advances were the rule in early stock transactions on the local market today. Waldorf sold above 20.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Ahmeek	53	53	53
Am Pneu	4⅛	3¾	4⅛
do pf	15	14⅞	14¾
Am T & T	107¾	107½	107¾
Arcadian	2¾	2¾	2¾
Ariz Com	9½	9½	9½
Bos El	64½	63⅞	64½
Cal & Ariz	52	52	52
Ca & Hec	257	255	255½
Carson Hill	15¼	14¾	15
Cop Range	35½	35	35
East Butte	9¼	9¼	9¼
Eastern S S	22½	22½	22½
Elder Corp	11½	11½	11½
East Mfg	16	15¾	16
Orpheum	30	29½	29½
Osceola	31¼	31¼	31¼
Swift & Co.	100½	100½	100½
Swift Int	26½	26½	26½
U Apex	2½	2½	2½
U Sh M	36	36	36
do pfd	23½	23	23½
Ventura	19⅞	18½	18¾
Waldorf	20¼	19¾	20¼
Helvitia	1¾	1¾	1¾
Island Oil	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
La Salle	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Lib McN	10½	10½	10¾
Mass	2¾	2¾	2¾
Mass Gas	80½	80½	80½
Mayflower	4⅝	4¼	4¼
Mohawk	51	51	51
Nat Leather	8¾	8⅝	8¾
Nevada	11¾	11¾	11¾
New Cornelia	15¾	15¾	15¾
N E Tel	104	103¾	104
Nipissing	5¼	4⅞	5¼

BOSTON CURB MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allied Oil	9	9	9
Tip Top	9	7	8
Arizona Silver	27	25	25
Bagdad	17	16	16
Blackhawk	18	13	13
Boston Ely	52	52	52
Boston Montana	65	63	65
Crystal	30	28	28
Cascade	17	17	17
Daddy	18	18	18
Eureka	73	65	67
First National	75	75	75
Gulfport	2½c	2½c	2½c
Hecla	29	18	25
Homa	7	7	7
Imperial	9	8	8
Mutual	1 1-16	$1	$1
Manhattan	10	9	9
Pilgrim	9	9	9
Palisades	18	14	18
Ranier	10	10	10
Silver Reef	5	4½	5
Seven Metals	7	7	7
Texana	10	8	9
United Verde Extn.	26½	26¼	26½
Verde	26	25	25
Jerome Verde	30	26	30

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GIFT OF PRINCESS

Mitzi, now starring in "Lady Billy," is shown wearing the native Rumanian costume which reached her in New York the other day as a gift from Princess Elizabeth of Rumania, the bride of Crown Prince George of Greece. The costume was made for Elizabeth and was worn by her several times. Mitzi will lend it to the Museum of Art for exhibition purposes. It is beautifully embroidered.

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Organizations seeking modification of the prohibition law permitting the sale of light wine and beer as beverages will be given scant opportunity to air their views before the house judiciary committee, Chairman Volstead declared today.

FRANKLIN FIELD, Philadelphia, April 29.—A new world's record of 53 4-5 seconds was made by A. Desch of Notre Dame university, in winning the first heat of the 440 yards hurdles.

LOWELL ARTISTS AID WOBURN B. C. DRIVE

Lowell artists took part in a big entertainment held in Woburn last evening in aid of the Boston college drive for which a local campaign is soon to be launched. Woburn is part of the Lowell district under the direction of Dr. M. A. Tighe, while Mayor Bernard J. Golden of Woburn is the chairman for that city. Edward Donahue and David Boyle of this city sang last evening and were enthusiastically received. Yesterday afternoon the women's committee conducted a whist and tea which was quite successful. Mrs. Golden, formerly Miss Katherine Quinn of Lowell, was a member of the committee in charge.

POPPIES

Poppies are selling well for hat trimming. They are used almost exclusively, however, on the red braids and straws.

AT ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL

Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan of St. Peter's church is confined to St. John's hospital following an operation. He was reported resting as comfortably as could be expected this afternoon.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 29.—Cloth to the value of $2600 was stolen from the Manton mills some time last night by thieves who gained entrance to the shipping rom through a window.

The new name of what was once German East Africa has been provisionally fixed by the British colonial office as Tanganyiki territory.

$230,000,000 BOND ISSUE A SUCCESS

NEW YORK, April 29.—J. P. Morgan & Co., and the First National bank acting as syndicate managers, have informed participants in the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. financing that subscriptions in the $230,000,000 bond issue will close at noon tomorrow. This bespeaks the success of that offering, the largest domestic financial undertaking since the close of the war.

GIRLS' CITY CLUB

Several week-end activities are on the cards today and tomorrow at the Girls' City club. This afternoon a hike for spring flowers was held, while this evening the club rooms will be the scene of an informal card party. Tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 two scrub teams will play baseball. The club members are already adept at this sport, according to Miss Alice Sullivan, director of the organization, and a star exhibition is expected. The grounds will not be selected until tomorrow. At 8.00 p. m. a club dance will be given at the rooms of the organization, in the Runels building.

DOGBITE CASE REPORTED

The Lowell Corporation hospital has reported to the board of health a recent case of dogbite in which the victim was Arthur Caisse of 520 Hildreth street, Dracut. According to the report, Caisse was bitten on the right thigh by a dog said to be owned by a Dr. Delorsey, residing at the corner of Pleasant and Hildreth streets, Dracut. The board of health has reported the matter to Dr. Eugene R. Kelley, state commissioner of health, and has turned over the case to the Dracut authorities.

Favorable Report On Immigration Bill

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The house immigration restriction bill was reported favorably today by the senate immigration committee, after elimination of provisions to accord special privileges for entrance of minors and persons subject to religious persecution.

No change was made by the senate committee in the general plan for restricting immigration to three per cent of the total population of alien origin in the United States at the time of the 1910 census. A proposal by Senator Harris, democrat, Georgia, to bar all immigration for five years, was rejected, receiving only three votes.

German Envoy Refuses to Participate

PARIS, April 29.—(By the Associated Press)—Dr. Von Oertzen, head of the German war burdens commission, refused to attend a meeting of the reparations commission today for determination of the time and methods of the German payments. Dr. Von Oertzen replying to the commission's notice to attend the meeting and present the German observations, declared he did not believe he should attend in view of the present conditions.

War Department Opposes Resolution

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The war department is strongly opposed to the adoption by the house of the Flood resolution asking why Brig. Gen. Omar Bundy was not recommended for promotion by President Harding, Secretary Weeks says in a letter to Chairman Kahn, of the military committee.

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TEN KILLED IN HOLDUP

Bloodiest Payroll Robbery in History of Mexican Oil Fields

HOUSTON, Tex., April 29.—In the bloodiest payroll holdup in the history of the oil fields of Mexico, a band of 15 Mexican bandits robbed officials of the Agwi Oil Co., of approximately 135,000 pesos in Mexican gold near Tampico, April 21, according to delayed advices reaching Houston. Ten persons were killed, including two bandits, in the fighting that accompanied the holdup.

The Agwi Oil Co. is a British concern.

The money had been taken from the vaults of the company at Tampico on the morning of the holdup and transferred to an automobile across the Papaco river for transporting to the southern fields. The money was in charge of Salvador Davalos, assistant paymaster of the Agwi Co., and his brother, Trinidad. Six Mexican soldiers accompanied the paymaster.

At a point three kilometres from "Old Town" Tampico, the party encountered a wagon blocking the road. While the obstruction was being removed the bandits opened fire from ambush.

Trinidad Davalos, five soldiers, two chauffeurs and two bandits were killed in the engagement, while Paymaster Davalos, one soldier and two bandits were wounded.

The bandits escaped to the nearby hills with the payroll.

Two companies of soldiers under command of Gen. Pedro L. Vasquez were sent in pursuit.

Agwi is the trade term for Atlantic Gulf and West Indies.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Four of the 10 persons slain in the payroll holdup in the Tampico oil fields, word of which has just been received, were Mexicans employed by the Agwi Oil Co. officials stated here late yesterday.

It was said only meagre details had been received here, but the men in charge of the payroll were attacked at a point three miles from Tampico while on their way to the oil fields. The hold-up was promptly reported to the Mexican authorities.

ATROCITIES BY SERBIANS AND CROATIANS

ROME, April 29.—Dalmatian refugees arriving at the city of Pola relate deplorable occurrences during occupation of Italian sections of Dalmatia, it is said in newspaper despatches reaching this city.

It is declared that about 100 heavily armed Serbian and Croatian soldiers landed at Curzola recently for the purpose of attacking the Italian consulate, and assertion is made that they maltreated Italians remaining on the island. It is probable, it is said, that several deaths will result. The consul fled after telegraphing to Zara for assistance.

The Serbians and Croatians are reported to have destroyed all vestiges of former Venetian and Roman days, demolishing the finest monuments, including the "Lion of St. Mark," situated on the island of Torrione.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Delia M. Gray, late of Lowell in said County, deceased:

Whereas, Mary A. Welch, the administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of her administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the tenth day of May, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administratrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.
F. M. ESTY, Register.
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The Danish technological institute has opened a special course to teach practical methods of burning different fuels in various kinds of stoves with the greatest economy.

LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George D. Skordoerea, also called George D. Skordores, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Benjamin Green of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk and said Commonwealth, dated September 24, 1920, recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the Northern District of said County of Middlesex, Book 631, Page 504, and also registered as Document 3112, noted on Certificate of Title No. 1035 in Registration Book 6, Page 17, in the North Registry District of said County of Middlesex and by virtue of a certain instrument given by Vaselike Skordoeres to said Benjamin Green, dated December 18, 1920, recorded in said Registry Book 637, Page 501, also registered as Document No. 3235, noted on said Certificate of Title, for Breach of the Condition of said Mortgage Deed and for the purpose of Foreclosing the same, will be sold at Public Auction on the respective premises hereinafter described on Saturday the twenty-first day of May, 1921, all and singular the premises conveyed by said Mortgage Deed and therein described substantially as follows:

First parcel at two o'clock in the afternoon of said May 21, 1921.

The land in said Lowell situated on the northerly side of Lakeview Avenue, formerly known as River Street, in that part of said Lowell called Centralville, the buildings thereon now supposed to be numbered 357 on said Avenue, containing ten thousand square feet of land, more or less, and thus bounded and described:

Beginning at a point marked now or formerly by a stake and stones on the northerly side of said Avenue at the southeasterly corner of the premises and at the southwesterly corner of land now or formerly of John M. G. Parker; thence northerly on said Parker land one hundred three and 30-100 (103.30) feet to a corner of a fence at other land of said Parker; thence westerly on said Parker land and land now or formerly of Clarissa Law one hundred and 48-100 (100.48) feet to a corner at land formerly of Loring W. and Hannah A. Lewis; thence southerly on said Lewis land ninety-seven and 38-100 (97.38) feet to said Lakeview Avenue; thence easterly on said avenue one hundred (100) feet to the point of beginning. Be said contents or any or all of said measurements more or less and however otherwise said premises may be measured, bounded or described. Being the same premises to said George D. Skordoeres conveyed under the name of George D. Skordores by deed dated January 9, 1918, and recorded in said Registry Book 583, Page 40. And the above described parcel will be sold and conveyed subject to a prior mortgage by John H. Eacrett to the City Institutions for Savings, dated Aug. 19, 1916, and recorded in said Registry Book 569, Page 138.

Second parcel at three o'clock in the afternoon of said May 21, 1921.

Also a tract of land with the buildings thereon situated in said Lowell bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Second street forty-four (44) feet; northwesterly by land now or formerly of Fenny Wells et al, ninety (90) feet; northeasterly by land now or formerly of Elizabeth Conlon forty-four (44) feet and southeasterly by land now or formerly of Patrick J. Byrne ninety (90) feet. All of said boundaries are determined by the Land Court of said Commonwealth to be located as shown on Plan 4113 A, 1 and 2, drawn by O. M. Snell, C. E., dated November, 1913, as approved by the Court, filed in the Land Registration Office, a copy of a portion of which is filed with Certificate of Title No. 360 in said North Registry District and said land is shown as Lot A on said Plan. The above described land is subject to the provisions which the Court construes and determines to be restrictions set forth in a deed given by Alpheus R. Brown to Mary B. Varnum, dated April 12, 1856, and recorded in said Registry Book 5, Page 113. For title of said George D. Skordoeres see Certificate of Title No. 1035, and the last described premises will be sold and conveyed subject to a mortgage given by John H. Eacrett to the Middlesex Safe Deposit and Trust company, dated June 2, 1917, and registered as Document No. 1646, noted on said Certificate of Title No. 1035.

The above described premises will be sold and conveyed subject to any and all taxes and other municipal assessments and Tax Sales which may be due or to become due, if any there are, and the purchaser of each parcel will be required to deposit Five Hundred ($500) Dollars at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.
BENJAMIN GREEN,
Mortgagee and present holder of said mortgage.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Odile Page, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Raoul Page of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of May, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of said citation to all the heirs-at-law of said deceased seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.
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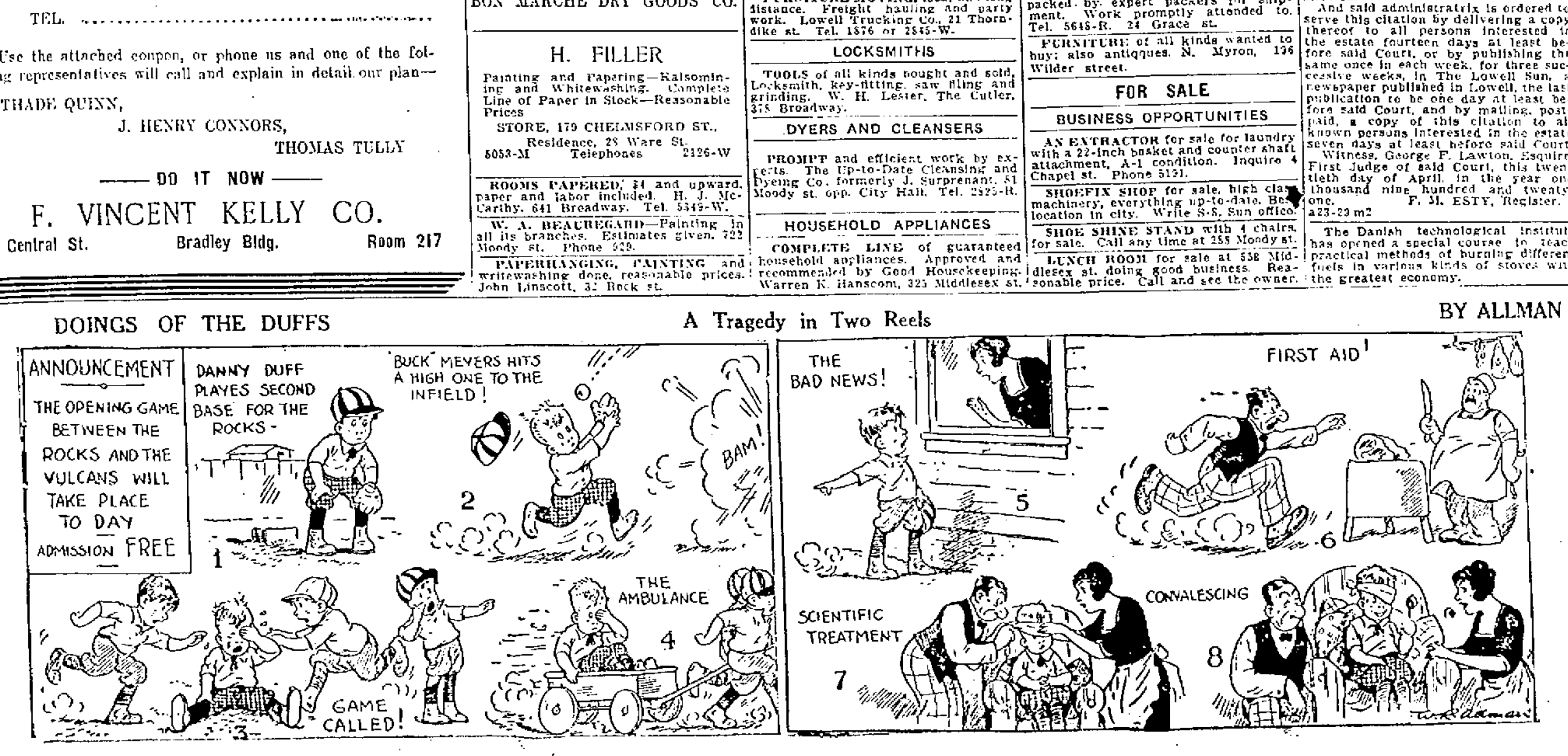

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GREAT FALLS, Mont., April 29.—Declaring that "spinsters are responsible for my not being married, in their refusals of my wooing in the past," William Atzinger, 35, a member of the board of directors of the Montana state fair today notified the assessor of Chouteau county that he will refuse to pay the poll tax of $3 levied by the last legislature upon bachelors.

"Tax the spinsters of the same age, and I will gladly pay, but otherwise it is class legislation and I stand upon my rights," he declared. "Furthermore, I refuse to get married to escape jail and I refuse to pay a bachelor tax to escape jail."

JITNEYS TO RUN IN LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, April 29.—Plans will be made today by the city council to meet any situation which may arise out of the threatened street railway strike. The council will meet in special session and it is expected to grant permits for the operation of jitneys.

There are seven strike-breakers at the local power house, according to the road officials, but no men to operate the cars have arrived here yet.

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BARS RED FLAG MAY DAY

Chicago Chief Says Display In Parade Would Result In "Somebody Getting Hurt"

CHICAGO, April 29.—In granting a permit for a labor parade on Sunday, May 1, to Morris Backall, representing the socialist party in Cook county, Chief of Police Fitzmaurice made it plain that any effort to display the red flag would result in "somebody getting hurt."

Backall obtained Chief Fitzmaurice's permission to carry banners inscribed "Long Live the Social Revolution" and "Long Live the Soviet Republic."

"And we want to carry the red flag," Backall continued.

"Not a chance in the world," said the chief. "Carry the American flag or you don't parade."

"But the war is over; the red flag stands for freedom," Backall argued.

"If the red flag is displayed, at least two people will get hurt," the chief replied. "The first will be you and the second will be the person carrying the red flag. The more I think of it you might be badly hurt."

"All right then," Backall said. "We won't carry the red flag."

DEATHS

MCKISSOCK—Mrs. Annetta L. McKissock passed away last evening at her home, 648 Stevens street, aged 76 years. She leaves her husband, William B. F. McKissock; one son, Robert M. of Binghamton, N. Y., and one daughter, Miss Gertrude McKissock of this city; three grand-children, Grace, William and Robert McKissock, and four sisters, Mrs. Tirza Russell of this city, Mrs. Lucy B. Abbott of Stoughton, Mass., Mrs. Eliza Whittemore of North Dakota and Mrs. Tait of Lorainne, O. She was a member of Evening Star lodge of Rebekahs.

FUNERALS

JUDGE—The funeral of James Judge, a Canadian veteran of the world war, took place this morning from the funeral parlors of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay, 658 Gorham street, at 8 o'clock. At the Tewksbury novitiate at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass was celebrated by Rev. Robert J. McCoy, O.M.I. The sanctuary choir rendered the Gregorian chant. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings to testify to the high esteem in which the deceased was held. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the last volley was fired by Edward McPartland, John H. Shea and John E. Dannahy, all members of the Stoneham post of the American Legion. Taps were sounded by Bugler Albert Hart of the Lowell High School Regimental corps. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

LEAHEY—The funeral of Miss Mary E. Leahey took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 40 Whipple street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9.30 o'clock a funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Francis L. Shea. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Miss Mary Rynne and James E. Donnelly. Miss Gertrude Quigley presided at the organ. There was a profusion of floral tributes and numerous spiritual offerings. The bearers were Messrs. William Daley, John D. Smith, Joseph Duggan, Timothy Monoban, James McArdle and William White. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Shea. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

FUNERAL NOTICES

SARGENT—Died in Jacksonville, Fla., April 26, of pneumonia, James M. Sargent of Lynn, in his 81st year, husband of the late Harriet Elizabeth Symmes of Westford. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Walter O. Lee of 42 Gloucester street, Boston. Funeral services will be held in the First Universalist church, Lynn, Saturday, April 30, at 2.30 p. m.

BROSNAN—The funeral of Captain James Brosnan will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 505 High street. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. Motor cortege. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FRATUS—Died in this city April 29, Alice Fratus, at the home of her parents, Daniel and Constantine Souza Fratus, 20 Tyler street, aged 2 years and 9 mos. Funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents. Services will be held at St. Anthony's church at 3 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MCKISSOCK—Died in this city April 28, at her home, 648 Stevens street, Mrs. Annetta L. McKissock. Funeral will take place Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice. Burial private. The arrangements are in charge of John A. Weinbeck.

REQUIEM MASSES

MULDOON—There will be a month's mind mass of requiem at St. Peter's church Monday morning at 8 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Ellen Elizabeth Muldoon.

DUCHARME—There will be an anniversary mass at St. Jean's church tomorrow at 9 o'clock for Mrs. Francis Ducharme by her daughter, Mrs. Omer H. Brunnell.

WILL ENTERTAIN WOMEN VOTERS

The first conference for the Fourth Region, Middlesex County will be held by the Massachusetts League of Women Voters at Winchester, Wednesday, May 4th, at 2 o'clock. By invitation of the Winchester league and courtesy of Miss Frances Elder, the conference takes place at Miss Elder's home, Myopia Hill, and members of the Hostess league of which Mrs. D. C. Dennett is chairman, will serve tea at the close of the program. Invitations have been sent to all league members in this region and to those interested in equal political opportunity for women.

CITOYENS-AMERICAINS CLUB

Yesterday marked the 23d anniversary of the founding of the Citoyens-Americains club, a prominent political and social organization of this city, and the event was observed with a whist and dance conducted in the assembly hall of the club in Middle street. Over 400 men and women responded to the invitation and all spent a most enjoyable evening. The various apartments of the club were thrown open to the visitors and the women enjoyed themselves immensely, some playing cards, while others manipulated the cues at the billiard and pool tables. The affair was more in the form of a ladies' night and proved a delightful occasion. The large dance hall was handsomely decorated with the national and French colors and numerous electric bulbs of all colors. The amusement room on the lower floor was converted into a veritable palm garden. Shortly before 8 o'clock the guests assembled in the main hall, where whist was played under the direction of the president of the club, Narcisse Foucher, and at the close of the game suitable prizes were awarded the winners. Later refreshments were served and general dancing was started and continued till a seasonable hour, the general manager being Trefle Bordeleau. The committee in charge was as follows: Onesime Tremblay, chairman; George Ducharme, Trefle Bordeleau, Philias Rochette, A. Genest, J. Z. Chouinard and Narcisse Foucher, ex-officio.

Fail to Report to Serve Terms

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erty, the others either having reached the penitentiary or being on their way, it was said. Only one of the conspiracy chiefs is behind the bars, however, the others at Leavenworth being termed small fry, or men who "happened to get in the way of the government wartime dragnet."

Of the nine who are free, six are looked on as chief instigators of the anti-war activities. Three of these six are believed to be holding "cabinet" positions in the Russian soviet government and three are believed to be in this country. Two of the remaining three who have not surrendered are expected to give up within a few days. The other, not considered by the government to be of much importance, is looked on as "permanently missing."

Ralph Chaplin, editor of Solidarity, once the official I. W. W. organ, was said by federal officials to be the only "big gun" in the conspiracies who is now at Leavenworth.

"Big Bill" Haywood is authoritatively reported to be minister of propaganda for the Russian soviet government, with the task of spreading its doctrines through many countries. Officials virtually have lost hope that Haywood will return to this country.

Vladimim Lossief, under a 20 years' sentence, now is in Petrograd, according to information here. He has been appointed commissioner of immigration and will have charge of the admission of all persons exiled from other countries for "anti-government activities." He formerly was publisher of a Chicago Russian language paper.

Charles Rothfiser, another who drew a 20 years' sentence now is en route to Czecho-Slovakia, according to information received by federal officials and will represent the soviet government in that country. He edited a Hungarian weekly, Bermunkas, in Cleveland and Chicago before his arrest.

George Andreytchine, also under a 20-year sentence and exiled from a Balkan state through his anti-military activities, is missing, but is believed to be in this country. Fred Jakkola of Duluth and Leo Lankka, also are missing.

This six—Haywood, Lossief, Rothfiser, Andreytchine, Jakkola and Lankka—were the men who actually organized I.W.W. anti-war activities, according to Charles F. Clyne, United States district attorney.

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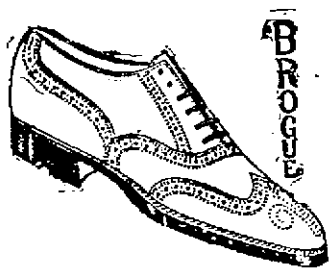

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Fancy Chemise—Of crepe de chine and satin, flesh color with white lace trimming; regular price $2.50. $1.89

Women's Waists — Striped madras, percale and white voile; regular price $1.29. 79¢

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